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several blocks the detectives chased him, until they arrived at the billboard at Sixth and Union streets.

The pursued man scaled the billboard and, hidden from the view of the officers, turned and ran. His pursuers, on the opposite side of the huge sign. Then he dropped down a sixty-foot embankment and disappeared before the officers could reach the other side of the billboard.

Later in the evening, the supposed culprit reappeared in the Johnson apartments, No. 232 South Olive street. According to A. E. Austin, manager of the place, the man had entered the apartments of several women and insulted them. He was driven away before detectives arrived.

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RETIRED MINISTER DEAD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, April 15.—George M. Lodge, 87 years old, retired Presbyterian clergyman, who had resided in this city for the past ten years, died this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. L. Taylor, No. 1855 East Second street. For many years Rev. Lodge was interested in home mission work in various parts of Nebraska and Iowa. He was a member of the Los Angeles Presbytery.

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PEACE MASS IN VIENNA.

Rulers Attend Special Intercession for End of Strife.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 16, 5 p.m.—A Central News dispatch from Amsterdam reports that special services of intercession for peace were held yesterday in all churches in Vienna. High mass was celebrated at St. Stephens in the presence of Emperor Charles and Empress Zita.

FAMOUS MAD AVIATOR CAUGHT NEAR PARIS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, April 16, 5:10 p.m.—Sub-Lieut. Jean Navarre, one of the French army's famous aviators, charged with attempted homicide, was captured today and placed in a military prison to await court-martial and probable examination by mental experts.

After a recent attempt to run over a number of policemen with an automobile, Navarre proceeded to aviation headquarters, where he escaped in an airplane and had been at large, uncaptured until today.

Navarre was severely wounded last June and since then has acted in an eccentric manner. In view of his splendid services, he was punished lightly for several breaches of the peace.

Several nights ago, Navarre showed his anger against the police by speeding through the principal streets of Paris in an automobile, knocking down every policeman he saw. Five policemen were taken to hospitals. Navarre is reported officially to have accounted for at least eleven German airplanes, while the newspapers credit him with the destruction of nineteen.

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SUMMARY.

...ORY. Partly cloudy. Wind at ...southwesterly; velocity, 18 ...Thermometer, highest, 58 ...west, 42 deg. Forecast: Un... ...For complete weather report ...page of Part I.

...CITY. The Sheriff of River... ...was ordered to seize half ...of Riverside and a large quan... ...under at a mine owned by a ...company. ...learned that the person sus... ...of having stolen $10,000 in ...the County Treasurer's of... ...high official. ...Clear appeal of Matthew A. ...Alexander under sentence to ...Fitzgerald, failed in the Appel...

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...Power companies adopted reso... ...to clear the way for the ...of their systems whenever ...for the money.

...CALIFORNIA. Fash... ...dentist, hurriedly called to Arcadia for military tooth-pulling, had several adventures on the way.

PACIFIC SLOPE. County finances before Legislature as Supervisors ask leave to levy tax to cover big shortage in funds.

Oakland women, refused right to discuss conscription, wire protest to Miss Rankin at Washington.

GENERAL EASTERN. Railroads that do not fall in line for government's war policy and plans face seizure.

Steel corporation heads say that the future earnings of the corporation depend largely on war-tax legislation.

WASHINGTON. Daughters of the Revolution, in annual congress, demand universal military service.

Chinese Parliament reported to be in favor of war with Germany.

Houston urges the spring-wheat farmers to plant more grain.

Case involving the cause of the war argued in Supreme Court.

Secretary of the Interior Lane warns holders of reclaimed land to plant them, as war measure.

Staff Army bill with conscription features assured of passage.

MEXICO. Villistas by surprise attack almost annihilate large Constitutionalist force.

Enlistments and troops movements said to indicate probability of a battle on the Mexican border.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: French deliver violent infantry attack along the Aisne front.

Ten thousand prisoners captured by the French in the first clash of their offensive.

Violent artillery fighting in the East Champagne.

Rumor of the capture of Lens and St. Quentin by the British not verified.

Fourteen thousand Germans made prisoners by Haig's troops.

Renewed activity by the French in Alsace and Lorraine.

Small encounters on the Russian front.

Turks driven further back in Mesopotamia by the British.

British airmen bombard Freiburg as a reprisal for the sinking of hospital ships by German submarines.

...READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all ... other part of the more important news is to be found on the first page. ... the Index and the Summary, then read the entire ... and thus get all the news of the day.

Proselyting.

SOCIALIST PRESSURE TO END HOSTILITIES.

Separate Slav Peace is Unlikely, but Their Army of Little Service.

BY JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—There is no longer concealment in official circles of the apprehension felt over the progress of events in Russia.

Disquieting news has been reaching the State Department from Petrograd for some days. It backs up the judgment of expert military and naval officers of all the Russian allies that the great country, with its vast resources of men and material, cannot be a real contender against the Central Powers in the near future.

The Duma government lacks the elements of strength which are absolutely essential for the effective supply of large armies. Officers no longer have the control of the men which they possessed under the empire. The Socialists are conducting an active propaganda and in this are aided and abetted by the German Socialists. There is need of food for the people and the army, munitions for the army, and above all, transportation.

GRAVE PROBLEMS.

So grave are the problems, so constant the intrigues against the government which are in part German inspired, that the American people and the Allies must prepare for the eventuality that the Russian troops will no longer be of much service. That the present government will make peace is not believed. It may be driven to extreme lengths, however, in order to save itself from overthrow. Fortunately for the Russian armies, the Germans are prevented from making a vigorous offensive, largely because of weather conditions and to a minor extent because of the heavy attacks which the British and French are delivering on the west front. When the weather lets up and the ground becomes dry it is possible Von Hindenburg may direct an advance, with Petrograd as the objective. If such a movement should be inaugurated and crowned with success, Germany would control the railroad from Archangel over which war supplies are transported during the summer months. This would make the Russians dependent upon the long route from Vladivostok, Siberia.

FIGHTING PATRIOTISM.

It is not believed in certain circles here, however, that the Germans will be so foolish as to stir up the fighting patriotism of the Russian people by a further invasion of their territory and the capture of their capital. It would be better politics to retain their present line, and aid by intrigue and propaganda the development of another revolution. The line could be held by comparatively small forces and the men released therefrom could be used for a powerful assault upon Italy. It is known the Italian staff is preparing for such a movement. Practically all of the man power of Italy has been put under arms and is now in the Trentino district. Deep trenches have been dug, heavy guns have been mounted and the Italian forces are determined to resist to the death the German-Austro-Hungarian offensive. Should the Teutonic forces succeed in breaking through, Italy would be at their mercy and the road would be open for an advance into Southern France.

The administration and the military authorities here have been considering with the greatest care the possible developments in Russia and the prospect of an attack on Italy. By the end of the week the President will be called upon to apportion the $3,000,000,000 loan which the Senate will approve unanimously tomorrow. Shall hundreds of millions of dollars be given to Russia when the supplies purchased thereby may fall into the hands of the enemy? Will the Duma government continue in power if the money and credit should be given to it? These questions will be discussed by the President and Secretary Lansing with Mr. Balfour, British Minister for Foreign Affairs, and M. Viviani, representing the French government, upon their arrival here on Wednesday.

TO BOLSTER THE DUMA.

It is realized, of course, that everything that can be done to bolster up the Duma government must be done. Withdrawal of Russia from the war would constitute a terrific blow to the Allied cause. An American commission is to be sent to Petrograd; American engineers are to proceed to Vladivostok and supervise the management of the railroad from that point and other experts are to be offered to the Russian capital to assist in the solution of the problems which are menacing the life of the government. The British and French authorities will act in concert with the American officials. The support of the United States, Great Britain and France may, in the end, tide the Duma government over the present delicate situation. At least, this is the earnest hope of all those who know the conditions in the northern country.

Assuming that the Russian situation becomes that which is feared by the authorities, what will be the role of the United States? France and Italy must be assisted against the common enemy. Every man available in the two countries is now serving. The French authorities have frankly informed this government that they are in grave need of men. The President has not favored the dispatch of troops to France. He believes the first duty of the United States is to create, equip and train an army. The small regular force now available includes the only military experts in the country. The President and Secretary of War want to retain these men to educate recruits that will be obtained under the universal service system.

THE NEEDED ARMY.

It will take at least a year to produce the kind of an army needed to battle against the trained forces of Germany and Austria-Hungary. England found a year and a half none too long. In this connection it is pointed out there are a couple of million men under arms in England and it is suggested that they are available for service in France. But the London government is in constant fear of a German invasion. In spite of British control of the sea, and it is keeping a large force at home to cope with any expedition Germany might succeed in landing on English shores.

It is apparent to the authorities that developments may compel the dispatch of troops to France within a comparatively short time. They will know more about the need of men when they have talked with the military representatives France and England have sent to the United States. Grand Marshal Joffre knows exactly the needs of his country. He is familiar with the number which will be required to hold and vanquish Germany. Gen. Bridges of the British military staff is aware of the man resources of the British empire and their availability for service. The exchange of views which the officers will have with Maj.-Gen. Scott, Chief of Staff of the United States Army, will be valuable in shaping the American military policy. Before announcing any decision, it is the purpose of the President carefully to consider all the facts presented. In the meantime he will keep an open mind and will devote his energies to the production of an army which can be used when the need therefor becomes vital.

More to Pay.

COUNTY FINANCES BEFORE LAWMAKERS.

SUPERVISORS WANT LEVY TO CURE SHORTAGE.

Los Angeles Money Troubles are Taken to Legislature with Request for Leave to Place Extra Tax to Fill up the Hole in Local Funds.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, April 16.—Los Angeles county's financial troubles have been carried to the Legislature. Supervisors Woodley and Dodge are here tonight seeking to secure the passage of a constitutional amendment that will permit the Supervisors to levy a special tax in Los Angeles county to make up the million-odd shortage in the county funds that is now attracting the attention of the grand jury.

Under the present State laws the Supervisors cannot levy a tax in one year to pay off indebtedness contracted in a previous year. The Los Angeles County Supervisors seek to have this restriction annuled by a constitutional amendment. But the rub comes over the form of the amendment which shall be submitted to the electorate. Assemblyman Lyon has a proposed constitutional amendment, now before the Legislature, which would permit the municipality of Venice to levy a special tax to pay back bills. The first intent of the Los Angeles Supervisors was to have Los Angeles county included in this amendment.

But there is a clause in the Lyon amendment which stipulates that the special tax may be levied only after two-thirds of the voters in the district shall have approved such levy. This is not satisfactory to the Los Angeles Supervisors, who do not desire to have the voters of the county pass on the levy of such special tax. Lyons says that if this provision is eliminated the people of the State will refuse to adopt the amendment.

There will be a conference tomorrow between the Supervisors and the Los Angeles delegation in the Assembly to determine on the form of the proposed amendment. It will not be easy, however, to get such an amendment through the Legislature, as many of the members hold that such a law will lead to extravagance rather than to retrenchment in the management of city and county finances.

The President of China.

Li Yuan Hung,

Chief Executive of China, who is reported to be embarrassed by pressure to join the Entente Allies in war against Germany. China needs money to go to war and is loath to seek it in Japan and is looking to the United States for financial assistance.

Uneasiness.

CHINA EMBARRASSED BY WAR SITUATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—The lack of political solidarity and of central authority in China, with a division in the government has necessitated the convening of the provincial and military Governors of Peking to advise and decide with the government and Parliament the question of war with Germany, according to reports here today. The vote in Parliament is said to favor war. This was indicated by the vote of the House favoring severance of relations with Germany, which was 331 to 87.

President Li Yuan Hung is reluctant to declare a state of war and other members of the government are divided on the question of adhesion to the Entente alliance, or merely to take common action with the United States. Advices from Peking hint that besides internal political considerations, there are questions of finance that are embarrassing the Chinese republic, and that it must have assurances of material assistance from the United States before it would feel justified in departing from its neutrality.

If China were obliged to look to Japan for this financial aid the republic would be creating liabilities and obligations which might threaten its very independence. It is believed here that American diplomacy again is shaping China's course.

The complete text of Germany's reply to the Chinese note protesting against the U-boat campaign was received here today.

Separate Pact.

AUSTRIA READY TO MAKE PEACE WITH RUSSIANS

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) April 16, 2:33 p.m.—The text of the semi-official statement issued by the Korrespondenz Bureau in Vienna, declaring that there is no real obstacle to the peace which Austria desires with the Russian people, is as follows:

"The government of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy has received knowledge of the manifesto of the Russian provisional government published on April 11.

AIMS AGREE.

"It has learned therefrom that Russia does not pursue a design to rule other peoples, to take from them their national heritage and forcibly occupy territory, that it rather, on the basis of the right of nations to decide their destinies for themselves, desires to bring about peace. The Austro-Hungarian government perceives therein that the Russian provisional government desires to attain an aim which agrees with that which the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister on March 31 stated as the war aim of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy.

"It can, therefore, be stated that the Austro-Hungarian government and the Russian provisional government are striving in the same manner for a peace, honorable to both parties, a peace which, as was pronounced in the peace offer of Austria-Hungary and its Allies in December, would develop the belligerent states. The conviction of the Allies (Teutonic,) pronounced at that time that their rights and established claims can be reconciled, without conflict, with those of other nations to exist is today made stronger after the manifesto of the Russian provisional government.

As it is herewith clearly demonstrated to the entire world, and especially to the peoples of Russia, that Russia is no longer forced to fight for her defense and for the freedom of her peoples, it can in view of the conformity of the aims of the governments of the Allies and the Russian provisional government, not be difficult to find a way towards an understanding. This the less as the Emperor, in an agreement with the monarchies of the Allies, fosters the hope to live in future in peace and friendship with the Russian people which, as regards its internal and external conditions of life, is secured and confident."

Perilous.

ALL AMERICA IS AWAKE TO THE GRAVE MENACE.

Indications are that the First Big Clash Will be on Land.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—Information reaching Chicago supports dispatches from Washington, indicating that the government is awake to pressing danger on the Mexican border. Orders relating to troop movements, especially affecting the militia, have reached this city. The details are withheld in accordance with voluntary censorship regulations. Army recruits, who are being sworn in at Chicago at the rate of several hundred a day, are being dispatched with all speed to Jefferson Barracks, near St. Louis, and thence as soon as the veriest rudiments of warfare can be inculcated, to other points. Reports are current that the First Illinois Cavalry will soon be called to the colors and dispatched to some point in California. The regiment has been recruited to full war strength in the last week and is a superb body of fighters.

The War Department has requested the railroads to refuse all shipments of war munitions of whatever character when billed to Mexican or border points, unless the bills of lading bear the War Department's stamp of approval.

News dispatches have told for several weeks of important military activities on the Mexican side of the border. Carranza, despite repeated avowals of his intention to observe strict neutrality between the United States and her enemies, has been assembling heavy forces at strategic points. These, it is announced, will be used in preserving neutrality. At Juarez, across the river from El Paso, which is the most important American city along the international boundary, the usual garrison is said to have been increased greatly.

Frustrated.

ONE MILLION CARTRIDGES SEIZED ON THE BORDER.

Concealed Contraband is Discovered and Mexican Consignee Arrested—Tells Conflicting Stories of His Intentions—Government Agents Trace Threads of Plot to German Source.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) April 16.—Information from American agents in Mexico led to the seizure of nearly 1,000,000 rounds of cartridges and small field-gun ammunition at Brownsville and Eagle Pass, within the last three days. The shipments were being made in boxes labeled machinery parts and had been so packed as to pass detection unless the boxes were opened, and this was done. The contraband freight was consigned to a Mexican known to be connected with the Constitutionalist government. In fact, a former officer in the Carranza army, prior to Gen. Obregon's appointment as War Secretary, has had several other consignments shipped from the United States during the last few weeks.

Upon seizure of the shipments the consignee, who gave his name as Jose Garcia, declared he was buying the ammunition for himself and associates with the idea of selling it to Germans. Later he told another tale. His stories, however, were conflicting and did not agree with the information furnished by American consular agents in Mexico, who, it appears, have unearthed a trail leading from the United States to Germany and back to Mexico by way of the eastern and western ports of Mexico and involving both Mexico and Germany in a plot against the United States.

Obregon denied any knowledge of the shipments or the placing of any orders for arms or ammunition in Germany or the United States for the Mexican army.

Carranza declared the ammunition must have been intended for Villa or for the Germans, but that any such importations were against the laws of Mexico, and would not be tolerated by his government. He promised to prosecute Garcia to the fullest extent if supplied evidence of his complicity in the shipments.

American agents report they know of shipments into Mexico from all sources and various gateways within the last month aggregating more than 6,000,000 rounds of ammunition and at least 20,000 guns. While admitting a portion of this has been smuggled in for Villa, who is known to have been liberally supplied with ammunition from some source outside of Mexico, there is evidence that the greater part of the war materials stored in Mexico within the last few weeks was intended for Mexicans acting for and with Germans, and it is believed Germany supplied the funds.

U-Boats.

GERMANS BUILD DIVERS AT PORTS OF MEXICO.

Submarines Being Assembled, Manned and Sent Out from East and West Coast Points—Recent Warning to Pacific Shipping is Attributed to Government Information on Enemy Activities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL PASO, April 16.—German submarines are being constructed, manned, provisioned and sent out from the Mexican ports of Progreso, near Merida, Yucatan, and from Salina Cruz, according to information revealed today by government agents, who said their information was quite reliable. One who reached here today from Laredo said he had learned that in the past six months a number of steamers flying neutral flags had landed submarine parts at Progreso and that these had been assembled by German workmen. The government officials have reason to believe that one or two such submarines, manned by Germans from Mexico or South America, are in the Gulf of Mexico. They are also informed that parts sufficient for the setting up of other submarines have been shipped over the Tehuantepec National Railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec to Salina Cruz, to be set up there and be sent into the Pacific.

The government has had information of the building of submarines and the establishment of German submarine supply bases at Mexican coast ports as far back as the latter part of 1916, and has been awaiting developments along that line. Reports of submarines sighted in the Gulf of Mexico and warning to the navy ships on the West Coast of submarines plying in the Pacific are considered to constitute one of the developments. The parts shipped across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec are said to have been billed merely as ship timbers and machinery, and so far as known were not examined by Mexican officials. It has been learned with some degree of definiteness that the naval officer who was feted recently in Chihuahua city and who was said to be Lieut. Chorth, who escaped internment at Philadelphia, has gone to Progreso to command one of the U-boats.

TIGHTENING LINES.

Along the American border today a rigid investigation of persons suspected of being alien enemies was inaugurated by the agent of justice, the provost guards and other Federal officials. About twenty persons were detained for further examination; several automobile parties which crossed to Juarez were denied right of re-entry to the United States until they had produced satisfactory credentials. All amateur wireless plants which could be discovered were dismantled.

Information reaching here from Brownsville was that Gen. E. P. Nafarrate, who was removed from command of Carranza forces at Matamoros a year ago because of his anti-American sentiments, had been restored to that command by Gen. Obregon and was given the title of commander of the district of Tamaulipas, which includes the British oil fields in the Tampico district.

The Administration Stands Firmly for the Staff Bill with Selective Draft Provisions

Polled.

CONSCRIPTION MEASURE IS ASSURED OF PASSAGE

Universal Service Has Almost Unanimous Support.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Tentative votes in the House Military Committee today disclosed a majority in favor of making some provision for volunteers in the war army plans, which, as drawn by the General Staff and approved by President Wilson, are based entirely upon the selective draft system. Two members of the committee were absent and the question of preparing a substitute for the administration bill will be passed upon finally tomorrow.

Various methods of raising and organizing the great fighting force for which the President asks have been advanced by members opposing immediate application of the draft, ranging from a proposal to eliminate the draft provision entirely, to Chairman Dent's scheme to authorize a call for 500,000 volunteers and authorize the President to resort to the draft if the volunteers do not come forward in a reasonable time.

ADMINISTRATION FIRM.

The administration is standing squarely upon the General Staff's unanimous opinion that the volunteer system can have no place, beyond the enlistments in the regulars or National Guard, in the raising or training of the army needed.

Apparently confidence still prevails that eventually both houses will accept the Staff bill.

The Military Committee spent today hearing an explanation of the staff measure from Secretary Baker and Judge Advocate-General Crowder. Chairman Chamberlain said tonight he hoped to conclude work in committee on the bill tomorrow, and despite opposition shown to the draft feature, he was hopeful it would be approved and reported to the Senate in time to follow on the floor the $7,000,000,000 revenue bill which probably will be passed tomorrow night. There were no votes taken in the Senate committee during the day, but some members thought the official explanations given and the arguments advanced in support of the draft provision had made a deep impression upon those anxious to have the volunteer system again. Several Senators, however, showed unmistakably that they were vigorously opposed to conscription, although they favored the principle of universal service.

CONSCRIPTION OPPOSED.

Republican members of the Senate will met tomorrow to discuss legislative questions, and although no war measure now before Congress is likely to be treated in partisan fashion, the conference may have some effect on the chances of the army bill. Senators from all sections are receiving many telegrams and letters on the subject, and most of them are said to be against conscription. The Senate leaders say that when the bill reaches the floor it will be passed, although the majority in its favor may not be large.

The House Judiciary Committee today approved Chairman Webb's bill, which would permit the Allies to recruit their citizens in the United States.

"It is quite evident," said the report accompanying the bill, "that the Allies, who are fighting a country against whom we also have declared war, should be permitted to recruit from their citizens and subjects in the United States for the purposes of fighting that country's battles. In view of the fact that our country is contemplating the conscription of our boys to wage war against Germany, certainly the Allies should be permitted at least to persuade their citizens in the United States to go and do likewise."

Drastic.

RAILROADS THAT BALK AT WAR PLANS TO BE SEIZED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—The administration has no present intention of taking over at any time during the war the great railroad systems or the telegraph and telephone lines of the country. But there are some railroads that are not falling willingly into harmony with plans for co-operation and aid to the government worked out by the railroad division of the Council of National Defense. President Daniel Willard of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad is chairman of this division.

It is the purpose of Congress, at the suggestion of the Council of National Defense, to supply the government with all necessary machinery to take over all railroads that the troublesome ones may be brought to terms. The greatest transcontinentals have swung into line behind the government with a willingness and an unanimity that has cheered President Wilson. The trouble comes, it is said, from some lines in the southwestern section of the country.

Chairman Adamson of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce said today that his bill now before the House dealt only with national machinery to be moved by the government in taking over any railroad or transportation company or any telephone or telegraph line or lines and compelling the existing operating forces to continue to operate such railroad, transportation company or telegraph or telephone lines under government supervision.

"The right of the government to commandeer such properties under war conditions is law already," explained Judge Adamson. "I have worked out machinery for carrying this existing law into effect. That is all I have done in my bill. The chief feature of it is that the government is given the power to compel railroads and other common carriers to operate their lines to meet the government's needs and compel their working forces to stay on the job."

Arrangements.

GEN. WOOD TO ASSIST IN WELCOMING WAR ENVOYS.

Every Possible Honor to b e Accorded Members of the Distinguished Allied Commission Which is Expected to Arrive in Washington this Week — Government Taking Every Precaution to As sure Safety of Visitors.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Maj.-Gen. Leonard Wood, ranking officer on the active list of the army, was designated today to represent the military branch of the government on the committee which will welcome to the United States the distinguished British war commission headed by Foreign Minister Balfour.

The selection of Gen. Wood is in line with the administration's plans for according every possible honor to the high rank and notable character of Great Britain's commissioners. The State Department is represented on the committee by Breckinridge Long, third assistant Secretary; the navy by Rear-Admiral Fletcher of the General Board, and Commander E. F. Sells, and the army by Gen. Wood and Col. R. E. L. Michie.

The State Department announced that it was not certain when Mr. Balfour and his party would come and that nothing definite was known concerning the arrival of the French commission.

Emphasizing the government's desire to omit no precaution to insure safety of the visitors, the State Department has asked that nothing be printed in regard to the movements of the parties until officials are ready to make them known. The British government itself has let it be known that it would appreciate such consideration, having in mind the fate which overtook Lord Kitchener when the ship upon which he was traveling on a special mission to Russia was destroyed off the Orkney Islands.

Published reports that the British commission had landed at an American port or in Canada caused Secretary Lansing to issue this statement:

"Statements appearing in the press concerning the movements of Mr. Balfour and his party are erroneous. It is not known precisely when Mr. Balfour will arrive. As soon as circumstances permit, an official announcement will be made.

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RECEPTION WEDNESDAY.

It was announced that the President would receive the British commissioners coming to discuss conduct of the war at the White House Wednesday.

It also was announced that the President would receive the French commissioners on the same day if they have then arrived in the country.

Vice-Admiral Chochetrat, dean of the French Vice-Admiralty, because there are no admirals in the French navy of the highest rank in that service, will represent the French navy on the commission. This will make the commission consist of M. Viviani, Minister of Justice and former Premier; Grand Marshal Joffre, representing the army; Vice-Admiral Chochetrat of the navy and Marquis Pierre de Chambrun, representing the French chambers.

Henry White, former American Ambassador to France and Italy, has tendered the use of his home here, adjacent to the French Embassy, for the accommodation of the French commission and the offer has been accepted.

The British commission will have at its disposal the new home of Breckenridge Long, third Assistant Secretary of State, quite near by the temporary residence of the French commission.

TO CATCH SLACKERS.

One of the first efforts of the British commission coming to America will be to round up all the slackers who have been avoiding military service by remaining in the United States and force them into either the American or the British army.

The British commissioners hope to accomplish this by having the United States pass a law either permitting recruiting of all subjects in the United States or making such subjects liable to the universal service provision of the new army bill.

The plan has some advantages for the United States because it would remove a class of citizens of military age over which this government otherwise would have no military control, as was the case during the Civil War.

Senator Culberson, chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, today introduced the House bill proposing that the Allies be permitted to recruit forces from their subjects residing in this country.

The French Mother in Symbolism.

Grief.

This remarkable study was recently shown at a private exhibition in Paris of the work of E. M. Sandos. It represents the French mother symbolical of all French mothers who have lost their nearest and dearest. Torn by overwhelming grief, she holds her head high with unshaken pride in her loss.

Smash.

QUADRUPLE ALLIANCE BREAKING; PEACE RUMORS MULTIPLYING.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, April 16.—The Quadruple Alliance is breaking. The Central Powers have reached the beginning of the end. That is the only way to interpret Austria's offer, tantamount to a separate peace with Russia.

Another epoch-making point in the war has been reached. Austria's peace gestures causes no surprise here. There is only wonder that it didn't come sooner. Three months ago she could have expected an affirmative answer; today there are no Sturmers, Protopopoffs or Czars, but a people united against Germany as well as Austria. Though there is good reason to believe that the dawn of peace will not be long delayed, much hard, cruel fighting will come before the world settles down to normal living.

ANTI-WAR AGITATION.

The Austrian move will strengthen the Russian anti-war agitation, but Russia will not make separate peace. It is the beginning, but the end is still a considerable number of leagues away. Italy, Serbia, France, England, even America, must be heard from. The Russian provisional government is now in a strong position. It wants peace, but not separately. What prompts Austria's offer? Two things, primarily, Russian revolution and American intervention. Great as Austria's food shortage is, great as are her losses in men and money, they are not the chief reasons for immediate peace.

GREATER MISERY.

Long ago, Austria realized that further fighting meant only greater misery and sacrifices for the dual monarchy. Emperor Charles, young ambitious and level-headed, mounted the throne to lead a country battered and staggering, to rule a people war weary and depressed. He listened to the Kaiser's promises, stiffened the army under his threats and tried to piece together the broken lines and drive on to victory.

Then came the Russian revolution, a miracle, a warning to every autocrat. Young Charles's subjects grew restless, and lastly, was President Wilson's address to Congress, which affected the course of the war more than if 500,000 men had been thrown into the furnaces that are burning up Europe. The President's omission of Austria from the list of America's enemies dealt a terrific blow to German militarism and paved the way for the proclamation to the Russian provisional government, declaring that Austria desired neither the annexation, subjugation nor humiliation of her enemy. All the Kaiser's threats and promises could not offset this combination of Russian revolution and American declaration.

Finally, Austria, facing a hopeless future, living in a nightmare of unrest, distrust and dissatisfaction, thought she saw a way out. Thus we have her peace overture couched in mild, temperate terms. But it is easier to enter Armageddon than to withdraw.

A month ago I wrote what Britain's attitude would be toward a separate peace with Austria. Bethmann-Hollweg was then conferring with the young Emperor in Vienna. The British view was that if Austria sued for a separate peace it meant that the Kaiser considered her time of usefulness was over, that she was only valuable as a test for the possibilities of opening the door of peace.

Since then the situation has changed considerably. The Allies' aims have been both broadened and modified, but England, though appreciating the weakness it displays, will want a lot of proof before she believes that Austria is anxious to quit.

FEDERAL RESERVE COAST BANK PLAN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Plans for a northwest branch of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, with three offices at Spokane, Seattle and Portland, Or., are under consideration by the Federal Reserve Board. A definite proposal probably will be made to the board within the next ten days.

Establishment of the three branches would be followed in a few months, it is believed, by the establishment of a fourth branch of the San Francisco bank at Los Angeles.

The entire programme, it is said, is in the hands of the San Francisco bank, but would have to be approved by the board.

THE DEFICIENCY BILL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The House today adopted without change the conference report on the general deficiency appropriation bill which includes $100,000,000 for war use as the President sees fit. The bill now goes to the President for signature. The House adjourned until Wednesday.

Statement in Parliament.

ALL EYES ON PEACE, SAYS TISZA, HUNGARY'S PREMIER

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) April 16, 12:50 p.m.—Premier Tisza of Hungary is quoted in a Budapest dispatch as having said in the House of Magnates:

"As regards the question of the United States, we have had occasion to express our point of view. Since, as I have previously pointed out, the United States, to our regret, declared itself in a state of war with Germany, the logical conclusion necessarily had to be drawn. That is a precise and concrete fact having no need of explanation. I should make a mistake if I added any explanation."

Premier Tisza's statement was made in reply to an interpellation by Count Anton Sigray.

Speaking of Russia, the Premier said: "The situation is very clear. No one thinks of interfering in the internal affairs of the Russian state. The events which have taken place in Russia have changed in no way our interpretation of the aims of the monarchy and the nation in this war. I think that if now by any fresh statement I were to repeat the completely clear declaration already made by the Allied (Central) powers, I should not be strengthening our position but only weakening it and I should not be favoring the cause of peace which we all have before our eyes, but, on the contrary, should perhaps be compromising it. Consequently, I beg the house to content itself with this statement."

SWEDISH GOVERNMENT WILL REMAIN NEUTRAL

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

STOCKHOLM, April 16 (via London, 5:33 p.m.)—The recent change of government in Sweden does not mean that there will be any change in the government's attitude towards the various belligerents. On the contrary, members of the new Ministry, it is indicated, will follow their predecessors in striving to maintain a neutrality unassailable from any side.

Mosquito Fleet.

SMALL CRAFT FIRST NEED.

Jellicoe Says U-Boats Must be Chased from Sea.

German Submarines are Now Worst War Menace.

Food Situation not Desperate, but Serious Enough.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 16, 9 p.m.—Admiral Sir John R. Jellicoe, former commander of the British grand fleet and now First Sea Lord, informed the Associated Press, during the course of an interview today, that anything and everything in the way of small craft, from destroyers to tugs, would be the most useful contribution that the United States could make to the war against German submarines. In this connection the First Sea Lord asserted that the best hunting ground for raiders is on this side of the water, as the possibility of German submarines operating on the American coast is almost negligible unless they have a base on that side.

"I have no desire to minimize to the American people the serious situation prevailing as a result of the illegal use of submarines by the Germans," said the admiral.

TELL US OF DEFENSE.

"Neither is it easy for us to take them into our confidence and tell them what we are doing to cope with the evil without providing the Germans with useful information. No methods existed in the past for fighting the submerged submarine and the new inventions and processes for that purpose take time to develop. We are giving your navy all the information in our possession and, knowing its record, we have great confidence that American inventive genius will supplement it with contributions.

"As far as the feeding of the Allied populations is concerned our efforts must be concentrated on saving tonnage, while bringing in the necessary supplies, in order to minimize the effect of the submarine warfare. As you probably know, we have bought large quantities of wheat in Australia, but as the round trip voyage takes four times as long as that to America the bringing of this wheat take four times as much tonnage as the carrying of American wheat to the Allied powers. We, therefore, require all the wheat we can secure from America and Canada.

FOOD SITUATION.

"Our food situation is by no means desperate as the Germans want to believe it is, but, on the other hand, is more serious than many of our own people realize. Our own shipping suffered very little more in March than during the first month of unrestricted submarine warfare. Other tonnage sunk during that period was in much the same proportion and there is no very marked method of combatting the evil. What has been accomplished is the result of inventions and processes which take time to develop and the government is well aware of the fact that immediate results could not be expected.

"The increasing armament of our mercantile marine has made submarines far more cautious, and more submerged attacks are taking place. Of course, this has one advantage, inasmuch as the submarines must depend on their torpedoes for such attacks, and, being able to carry only a limited number, must return to port sooner than when they made their attacks from the surface. Your Navy Department knows just how many submarines we have sunk but the exact number of U-boats that have actually never returned to port is known only to the German Admiralty, which, naturally, does not give out this information.

NEED SMALL BOATS.

"Against a submerged attack, a host of small craft forms the best protection. We can use everything from destroyers to tugs of any size. The danger of showing a periscope when the submarine may have a bomb dropped on it or be rammed, is one which our enemy does not like to face. But these must be used in the sea zone where submarines operate, and such a zone is hardly likely to be attached to the American coast. German submarines cannot operate over there effectively without a base and I am sure that your magnificent navy will have no trouble in patrolling the Mexican Gulf Coast, on which a base might exist, while the entrance of Cuba into the war on the side of the Allies deprives the Germans of the best place they might have secured for such bases.

"I have already warned your Navy Department that submarine mine layers may visit your coast, dump their cargo and return. But the damage they do will not prove extensive, as each boat only carries about thirty mines. These mine layers have dropped their mines everywhere about our coast and if I had the exact figures at hand of the number we have swept up and destroyed, you would be astonished. It cannot be denied that navy strategy has undergone a fast change as the result of the illegal use by Germany of submarines. Of course, it is also undeniable that their use legitimately has changed naval warfare. But the legitimate change is not so great, nor so difficult to cope with as the illegal use of submarines. Their advent as a fighting weapon has made a coast blockade of an enemy's coast impossible and has added to the difficulties we face on account of natural fortifications of the German coast line for either attack or defense.

ENGLAND LACKS HARBOR.

"Against naval Germany, the British Isles are tipped the wrong way. One of the disadvantages under which we suffered during the early part of the war was that we had no harbor in the North Sea big enough to hold the English grand fleet, where it could lie within easy striking distance of the enemy. One of the most striking results of the legitimate use of submarines has been to compel heavy ships, in order to obtain protection from their attacks, to be accompanied by destroyers when they put to sea and this fact reduces the radius of action of a fleet on account of the limited fuel capacity of the destroyers.

"The most striking feature of the change in our historic naval policy resulting from the illegal use of submarines and from the fact that the enemy surface ships have been driven from the sea, is that we have been compelled to abandon a definite offensive policy for one which may be called an offensive-defensive, since our only active enemy is the submarine engaged in piracy and murder.

"Zeebrugge forms another of our problems. It is difficult to deal with now, owing to German occupation and fortification of the Belgian coast. No naval officer, even before this war, ever believed that it was the business of a capital ship to stand up against a land fort, as land guns always have greater facilities for finding the range than a gun mounted on a ship.

GUARD WORK HARD.

"But the fortified Belgian coast is a fact, which we have to face, and the destroyers maintained there have made our work of guarding the straits of Dover more difficult. The Germans in their 'tip and run' raids, during which they have committed additional illegality and the inhumanity of bombarding open towns, have the great advantage of choosing the time of attack, and when as many as thirty destroyers can attack a patrol, you may gain some idea of the number of vessels we need on guard constantly to stop every raid. We have met them more than once at night, but it is difficult to insure that the meeting shall not find us in considerable inferiority owing to the dispersion necessary to a watching force.

"In conclusion I cannot do better than quote from your great author, Capt. Mahan, in his volume, 'The Interest of America in Sea Power, Present and Future,' he wrote:

QUOTES MAHAN.

"'To Great Britain and the United States, if they rightly estimate the part they may play in the great drama of human progress, is intrusted a maritime interest in the broadest sense of the word, which demands as one of the conditions of its exercise and its safety the organization of a force adequate to control the general course of events; to maintain, if the necessity arise, not arbitrarily, but as those in whom interest and power alike justify the claim to do so, the laws that shall regulate maritime warfare.'

"And again: 'War, once declared, must be waged offensively, aggressively. The enemy must not be fended off, but smitten down. You may then spare him every exaction, relinquish every gain, but until down he must be struck incessantly and remorsely.'"

The First Sea Lord impresses one as being an executive of intense vigor, keenly interested in his work, and without illusions as to its magnitude. He was exceedingly frank in telling the correspondent a number of things, which for obvious reasons cannot be made public and showed the utmost interest in the plans for co-operation with the American navy. The correspondent left with the impression that the executive head of the world's greatest navy is anxious to take the democracies engaged on the side of the Allies into his confidence as far as possible, and there is no question that he counts on their co-operation in the task which in his judgment must be accomplished if the Allies are to triumph.

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[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN (via London) April 16, 9:15 p.m.—The reduced bread ration in Germany goes into effect. Judging from some of the press and the news in German newspapers, it appears that the reduction has caused discontent among workmen even threats to retaliate by a strike. A proposal which was strongly supported among workers was to reduce the hours of work. The Socialist and armchair pealed to the w the deprivations as the soldiers at to imperil the su tion in the munit metal workers' threw its influ demonstration o No open trouble

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WASHINGTON, April 16.—Tonight Secretary Lane appealed to holders of land valuable by government reclamation work to put all their available land in food crops. He said land reclaimed of 700,000 acres made useful by the government and not under tillage, if planted, would produce $15,000,000 worth of food this year.

"Loyalty and patriotism, as well as economic necessity," said the secretary, "demand that you get busy and put this land into food crops this year and next.

"These 700,000 acres should be sufficient to feed 20,000 families this year, thus supplying food for an army division at the front. Here is your opportunity for our citizens to render assistance.

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"Seeding is already under way throughout the greater portion of the spring wheat belt, but in many sections it will be possible to increase appreciably the area seeded to wheat during the next few weeks.

"Where such increase would interfere with the conduct of an established industry, such as dairying, it would, of course, be inadvisable."

RECLAMATION.

As a stimulus to food production Senator Borah of Idaho today introduced a bill providing for reclamation of arid and swamp lands and proposing issuance of $25,000,000 of Federal Treasury certificates, exchangeable for bonds of reclamation districts organized.

Federal aid in mobilizing the nation's financial resources is the partial aim of a bill amending the Federal Reserve Act favorably reported today by the Senate Banking and Currency Committee. It provides for admission of State banks into the Federal system and for concentrating the "floating" gold supply by authorizing exchange of gold and gold certificates for notes of Federal reserve banks. Another provision authorizes the Federal banks to extend clearing and collection facilities to nonmember banks and trust companies.

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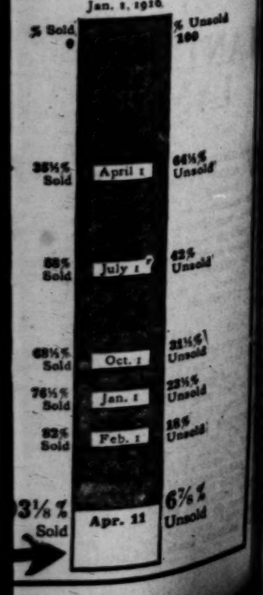

Real Service.

LINE POINTS TO LANDS AWAITING CROP GROWERS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Millions of acres of unallotted public lands in the West and the farms of the East and South pointed to by Secretary Lane as places where those who do not enlist for the firing line may serve their country as effectually as they could at the front. The people cannot all be fighters, the Secretary staid. "We must look in addition to our armies of producers, armies of producers, to sustain those who struggle and to maintain time for whom they struggle. There is close touch with the food needs of this country predict that a present decrease in production will end up for another year we will face a serious food famine.

"Three hundred and forty million acres of unallotted public land in the Western States awaits the coming of the farmers and the herdsman. Millions of acres of fine farm lands in the Eastern States lie idle through the lack of men to work them. Forty-two millions of our population strifle in crowded cities and complain of the high cost of living.

"Any citizen of the United States who has not already located a homestead may apply for as many acres of straight farming land as he wants up to 160 acres in the restricted sections and up to 320 acres in the unreclaimed sections. Straight grazing land may be had to the extent of 640 acres.

"From Alabama to Alaska land is waiting to be taken up. And with all these resources we face an actual food famine."

Protect Food.

SAY LET POWER WILSON TO HALT ALL EXPORTS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—With the approval of the administration, Chairman Adamson of the House Commerce Committee introduced a war embargo bill to empower the President to forbid export of any sort when he deems it in the public interest to do so.

The amendment to the administration espionage bill giving the President power to prevent exportation of foodstuffs that might get into an enemy country was approved today by the Senate Judiciary Committee.

The espionage bill probably will be reported tomorrow. An effort will be made before this action is taken to modify language in several sections which newspapers have considered in the nature of a censorship.

Less and Less.

REDUCED BREAD RATION IN EFFECT IN GERMANY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN (via London) April 16, 9:15 p.m.—The reduced bread ration in Germany went into effect. Judging from some of the press and the news in the German newspapers, it appears the reduction has caused discontent among workmen and even threats to retaliate by a proposal which was strongly supported among the metal workers was to reduce correspondingly the hours of work by one-fourth. Socialist and army newspapers appealed to the workmen to accept the deprivations in the same spirit as the soldiers at the front and not to imperil the soldiers by a reduction in the munitions output. The metal workers' organization then threw its influence against any demonstration of dissatisfaction. No open trouble has been reported.

Warning.

PLANT RECLAIMED LAND, LANE ASKS OF HOLDERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Tonight Secretary Lane appealed to holders of land reclaimable by government reclamation work to put all their available land in food crops. He said land enough of 700,000 acres made useful by the government and not unproductive, if planted, would produce $1,000,000 worth of food this year.

"Duty and patriotism, as well as economic necessity," said the appeal, "demand that you get to work and put this land into food crops this year and next.

"These 700,000 acres should be made to support 3,500,000 families this year, thus not only supplying food for an army at the front. Here is your opportunity for our citizens to render assistance.

"These lands are not public lands. They belong to private owners, and if they do not utilize their property now they may not be far off when national needs will require confiscation and government cultivation. No one is entitled to that which he does not use."

CANADIAN LOSSES ARE HEAVY AROUND VIMY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) April 16.—Estimates of Canadian losses around Vimy, based on good authority, place the casualties from the commencement of the Vimy offensive until last night between 5000 and 6000. Three hundred and thirty Canadian officers fell last week on Vimy ridge, according to the information. The totals include killed and wounded, with the latter dominating.

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RUSSIAN WORKMEN WATCHING LEADERS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, April 16 (via London, 4:55 p.m.)—The Congress of the Council of Workmen and Soldiers delegates today unanimously adopted a resolution, affirming the necessity of its continuing to exercise influence and control over the Russian provisional government and appealing to the whole democracy of Russia to rally around the council as the only organization capable of counteracting any reactionary move.

The resolution at the same time appeals to democracy to support the provisional government as long as it continues to develop the conquests of the revolution and abstains from any aspirations for territorial expansion.

Analytical.

CAUSE OF THE WAR BEFORE OUR COURTS.

SUPREME JUDGES ASK MANY QUESTIONS OF ATTORNEYS.

Justices Decline to Disturb Dismissal by the Federal Jurists in New York of Actions for Damages Sought by Persons Who Tried to Cross Atlantic.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The European war's beginning was discussed today before the United States Supreme Court with the justices showing considerable interest and asking many questions in argument of a suit of New York banks for $2,240,000 damages against the North German Lloyd liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie, now at Boston in possession of Federal court authorities.

Breach of contract to carry $11,000,000 in gold bullion to England and France just before the war's outbreak is alleged by the banks.

The Cecilie turned back in mid-Atlantic because of a wireless warning from the German Admiralty that war was imminent.

Attorneys representing the German owners contended today that return of the vessel to America was justified to avoid British seizure. The banks' counsel insisted that deviation from the voyage was unjustified until war actually had been declared. By a coincidence in another distinct case the court today refused to disturb dismissal by New York Federal Courts of suits brought by passengers of the Cecilie for damages, growing out of the thwarted voyage to Europe. Merits of the passengers' claims, however, were not directly decided.

RECEIVERSHIP SOUGHT.

Royal Arcanum Alleges It is Thoroughly Solvent.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, April 16.—Howard C. Wiggins of Rome, N. J., general counsel for the Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum, a fraternal insurance organization, today petitioned Federal Judge Aldrich to vacate the injunction restraining the supreme officers from carrying on the business of the order and to set aside the receivership. A receiver was appointed Saturday on petition of Albert L. Hobart, of Braintree, who alleged that the reserve fund of the order, amounting to nearly $4,000,000, had been illegally administered.

Mr. Wiggins told Judge Aldrich that the order was solvent, according to figures compiled by expert insurance actuaries.

Unless the receivership order was revoked, he said, it would mean "absolute annihilation" of the order, which has more than 200,000 members in the United States. He denied improper administration of the reserve fund and offered to file a bond to protect the petitioner's interests, pending a determination of the points at issue.

The petition was refused by Judge Aldrich. He suggested that counsel agree to a decree making the receivers permanent, and to an appeal by the organization. Pending the appeal the receiver would not be authorized to act, he said. All parties agreed to follow the court's suggestion.

Anti-American.

FOREIGN BANKS ACTIVE IN MEXICAN PROPAGANDA.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Further evidences of German activities in Mexico, spreading anti-American and anti-Entente propaganda and exerting German influences upon the Mexican government are contained in diplomatic reports passing through here to European capitals.

Funds of a number of foreign banks are reported to be in danger. Circulation of any matter at all favorable to the United States or the Entente is disapproved by Mexican officials and the newspaper El Universal recently was suppressed because of publications disapproved by German agents. The publisher and editors have been summoned before a military tribunal.

Property of foreigners, Germans excepted, is said to be in constant danger; efforts of the German propagandists and agents being directed especially against materials which might be of assistance to the enemies of Germany. The writer of one of the reports asserts that he has information that 12,000 barrels of oil, the property of the Eagle Oil Company, a British concern, has been burned at Minatitlan.

The German bank and the German Legation in Mexico City are said in these reports to be dominating Mexican affairs more than ever, the former having intimately connected itself with Mexican finances and the latter guiding and advising the government.

Semi-official Statement.

NO OBSTACLE TO PEACE, AUSTRIA'S RUSSIAN VIEW.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, April 16, 10:40 a.m.—A semiofficial statement has been issued in Vienna declaring that Austria desires peace with the Russian people and that there is no real obstacle to this aim, according to a Zurich dispatch to the Radio Agency.

The dispatch quotes a statement issued by a semiofficial press bureau in Vienna, in which it is said that the Austro-Hungarian monarchy has taken note of the recent declaration of the Russian provisional government that it does not seek foreign territory, but desires a durable peace founded on the rights of peoples to dispose of themselves. The statement says that the Austro-Hungarian government is inspired by the same desire, and continues:

"Therefore, both having common ends, it is not difficult to find means of arriving at accord. This is much less difficult since His Majesty, the Emperor of Austria and King of Hungary, in perfect union with his allied monarchs, wishes to live in future peace and friendship with the Russian people."

Unlocks Door.

WHEAT PLACED ON FREE LIST.

Canadian Order Automatically Ends American Tax.

Reciprocal Treaty Stops the United States Duty.

Result is to Open Market in this Country.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) April 16.—The government has placed wheat, wheat flour and semolina on the free list, thus opening United States markets to Canada and Canadian markets to the United States in these products.

Under the reciprocal clauses of the American tariff, the United States will admit free wheat and wheat products of any country which admits American wheat without duty. The Canadian tariff has heretofore denied this privilege.

The order is due to difficulty of export abroad owing to shortage of ocean tonnage and the fact that the British market has been virtually closed for Canadian wheat of lower grades. The duties raised are 10 cents a bushel on wheat and 45 cents a barrel on flour.

NO PRESENT EFFECT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Canada's order today putting wheat and wheat products on the free list will be decidedly to the advantage of Dominion producers, officials here said tonight. The American duty on imports of Canadian wheat will disappear automatically, and if the American crop is short the United States may become a good market for the Canadian product. The order is expected to have little immediate effect, as Canada's visible supply is as short as this country's.

Paying for War.

STEEL EARNINGS DEPEND ON LAWS.

CORPORATION HEAD SAYS NEW MEASURES WILL DECIDE.

Must Pay Many Millions Additional Taxes, but Believe that Needs of Nation Should Come Before Other Considerations. Willing to Bear Their Share.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HOBOKEN (N. J.) April 16.—Earnings of the United States Steel Corporation this year will depend upon what Federal legislation is enacted, E. H. Gary, chairman of the corporation, declared at the annual stockholders' meeting here today. Under present tax laws the corporation must pay approximately $43,000,000 additional taxes this year, he said.

"That other laws will be passed, no one at the present time can doubt," said Judge Gray. "The burden which will be imposed by the government upon corporations and upon individuals no doubt will be very large. I am sure no loyal citizen can object, provided there is a fair and equitable distribution of the burden."

Mr. Gary said the corporation's mills had been running to full capacity during the past year and that enough unfilled orders were now on the books to keep the mills busy for another year.

The stockholders re-elected as directors for a term of three years each, Robert Bacon, Samuel Mather, Thomas Morrison, John S. Phipps and Daniel G. Reid.

NEW RUSSIAN ARMY HEAD.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, April 16 (via London, 4:15 a.m.)—Gen. Michael V. Alexieff has been definitely appointed commander-in-chief of the Russian armies. He was appointed acting commander-in-chief a few weeks ago.

TRAVELERS REPORT RIOTS IN BERLIN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 16, 5:10 p.m.—Travelers arriving in Holland from Germany, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam to the Central News Agency, says that a general strike was commenced this morning in Berlin, and that riots have taken place in the German capital.

AVIATORS TO STUDY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Lieut.-Col. John B. Bennet, chief aviation officer of the army, and Maj. Benjamin D. Foulois, junior military aviator, today were ordered to Toronto, Can., for investigation of the Canadian aviation school system. Later they will assist War Department experts in organizing and equipping a large American aviation division. Estimates totalling $60,000,000 were submitted to Congress for army aviation preparations.

HIGHER FREIGHTS OPPOSED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Opposition to a horizontal increase in railroad rates was voiced by the utilities bureau, organized to represent the municipalities of the country at its annual meeting here today. A telegram to President Wilson said the bureau would appear before the Interstate Commerce Commission and aid in reaching a solution of the rate problem fair to the railroads and to the public.

REICHSTAG MEETS SOON.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, April 16 (via London, 4:45 p.m.)—The German Reichstag, according to the Cologne Gazette, will meet April 24 and continue until the end of May. Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg is expected during this session to make another statement with regard to Russia.

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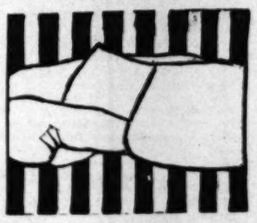

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In Action.

(Continued from First Page.)

Oise artillery fighting continued throughout the day. South of the Oise we made new progress on the plateau of the line of Barisis-Quincy-Basses.

"Between Soissons and Rheims, after artillery preparation that lasted several days, we attacked the German lines along an extent of forty kilometers (twenty-five miles) this morning. A desperate battle was fought along the whole front, where the enemy had grouped very important forces and numerous artillery. Everywhere the valor of our troops overcame the energetic defense of our adversaries.

"Between Soissons and Craonne the whole German first position fell into our power. East of Craonne our troops occupied the enemy's second position south of Juvincourt. Farther south we carried our line as far as the outskirts of Vermelecourt and up to the Aisne Canal at Loivre and Courcy.

"Violent counter-attacks launched several times north of Ville-au-Bois were broken down by our fire with considerable losses to the enemy.

"The number of prisoners made by us up to the present exceeds 10,000. We likewise captured important material which has not yet been inventoried.

"In Champagne artillery fighting continued actively during the day on the various sectors. The cannonade was intermittent on the rest of the front."

PRISONERS TAKEN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 16, 10:55 p.m.—"Since the morning of April 9," says the official report from British headquarters in France tonight, "we have taken over 14,000 prisoners. The captured material includes 194 guns. There is nothing of special interest to report. A heavy rain has again fallen through the afternoon."

THE PLAN OF BATTLE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE (via London, April 16, 10:10 p.m. From a staff correspondent of the Associated Press.) With the hot flames of war raging along the entire western front, British and French alike, it can be stated that each detail of the offensive plans has been worked out at prolonged conferences between Gen. Nivelle and Field Marshal Haig and the war councils of France and England.

The part to be played by each belligerent has been definitely agreed upon, and a schedule has been arranged as for one great cohesive force. Various tasks have been precisely allotted along the wide-reaching battle lines, and the results thus far attained justify the conclusion that the supreme military test of the war is near at hand.

It was planned that the British should strike from Arras while the French guns still were roaring their preparation for infantry hostilities along a wide front farther to the south.

The successes gained in the first stages of the British advance have given the French great confidence in the inauguration of their own enterprises.

The whole struggle in the western theater promises to be a titanic one. The Allies are prepared as never before both in material and personnel and are co-operating with a smoothness which comes from a complete understanding and thorough appreciation of the work in hand. The Germans have more divisions on the western front than would have been thought possible a year ago, and however much of an "easterner" Field Marshal Von Hindenburg may have been in the past, he will have to devote his entire time and attention to western events for some weeks to come.

Already a half score of Germany's best divisions have been smashed to pieces by the British onslaught and their own unsuccessful counter-attacks. The Bavarian divisions were sacrificed first, but the Prussian guard divisions thrown in to stem the British flood tide have been suffering such casualties in the last few days that they will have to be relieved.

The Canadians accounted for a large contingent of grenadiers in the fighting about the Pimple, while yesterday's affair at Lagnicourt took its heaviest toll both in dead and prisoners from five German regiments.

It will ever be one of the most striking pictures of this war, the rout of the Germans at Lagnicourt after what they believed to have been a successful attack.

Running for their own trenches, which were part of the famed Hindenburg line, they were trapped by the barbed wire entanglements which had been built with such great strength and thickness in front of them. The boast of the Hindenburg line has been its belt of protective wire.

Caught within the meshes of this wire, the German guardsmen screamed madly for help and guidance. Some, like trapped rabbits, scurried up and down the outer barrier, searching in vain for openings. The British troops, meantime, had the greatest opportunity for open field rifle shooting since the battle of the Marne. Lying flat upon the ground, they poured bullets into the panic stricken gray-coated Germans until each man had fired a full 100 rounds.

While this was going on, the British field guns came into play with a shrapnel barrage, which completed the demolition of the entrapped enemy.

It was little wonder that later 1500 German dead could be counted or that 400 guardsmen surrendered with upheld hands and emotional cries of "Kamerad."

German efforts to dig in everywhere and seek the shelter of strongly fortified lines do not tend to corroborate slated German hopes that the warfare might become open again. In fighting these retarding actions, the Germans are sacrificing their picked troops as they did during the near guard engagements in the recent retirement on the Somme.

Lens was virtually invested today, although the Germans are making desperate efforts to hold their positions about it, as Lens seems to be the pivot of the new backswing of the German lines necessitated by the battle of Arras. Against these German strong points many captured guns were turned today, for with the heavy pieces taken by the British were thousands of rounds of ammunition. British gun crews were rushed up to man these weapons, which were turned around in their own pits, thus forming British gunnery outposts, while their own guns were moving forward.

Explosions continue within Lens and the outlying mine districts and there seems little doubt that the mines will certainly be destroyed as far as possible. Lens cathedral was still standing today, apparently little damaged. Fires were still seen inside the German lines. About St. Quentin, at the southern point of British activity, there has been hard fighting, much of it being hand to hand.

The prisoners taken in the southern parts of the line had heard nothing of the Arras fight, except that a British attack was somewhere crushed and that the Germans had taken hundreds of prisoners. A certain Irish regiment fighting in the vicinity of Lens has, during a breathing spell, taken pains to inform the enemy of the results at Arras. Some of the adventurous spirits planted a board in No Man's Land a few nights ago saying:

"We took 9000 Huns yesterday."

The Germans endeavored all next day to shoot the board down but they did not succeed. That night the Irish planted a second board reading:

"Sorry we made a mistake. Should have been 11,000 Huns instead of 9000."

The Irishmen fought with great bravery just under the brow of the pimple of Vimy ridge and were up against a steady stream of machine-gun fire from the Pimple until the Canadians wiped it off the face of the earth.

"We knew the Canadians would clear them out; so we didn't worry," said a smiling Irishman today.

GERMAN OFFICIAL REPORTS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, April 16 (via London, 4:35 p.m.)—Between Soissons and Verdun, says the official statement issued today by German army headquarters, the British and French yesterday lost eleven airplanes, mostly of the latest type.

"On the northern bank of the River Scarpe," says the German official statement, "our destructive fire kept down the British attacking waves and a storming attack could not be carried out.

"Northwest of Croisilles our fire rendered abortive a strong British attack, the enemy suffering severe losses."

"North of the Arras-Cambrai road," the statement adds, "our thrusts drove the enemy back on Lagnicourt and Boursies. To the sanguinary losses of the Australians must be added the loss of 475 prisoners and fifteen machine guns, which have been brought in and also twenty-two guns captured and rendered useless by explosion."

"Near St. Quentin," says the announcement, "the artillery fire again has increased.

"From Soissons to Rheims and in the ancient Champagne there was exceptionally heavy artillery fire and mine throwing. After the failure of enemy reconnoitering thrusts yesterday infantry fighting developed this morning over wide sectors."

THE FRENCH OFFENSIVE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 16, 6:52 p.m.—"News of the opening of the great French offensive has spread like wildfire through the British forces," telegraphs Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France today.

No official announcement from Paris of a widespread offensive movement by the French has been made. Indications have been, however, that an offensive was about to be opened by Gen. Nivelle's forces in the sector between Soissons and the Champagne, where the artillery battle has been raging for several days.

Today's German headquarters report gave a hint that the battle might have started. After announcing exceptionally heavy artillery fire and reconnoitering operations, "from Soissons to Rheims and in the western Champagne," the statement reported that "infantry fighting developed this morning over wide sectors." The Paris official statement, covering the events of last night, mentioned an increase of extreme violence of the artillery fighting on the Soissons-Rheims front.

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THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Temperatures Rise Slightly in All Directions—Fresh Dakota Snows.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—Temperatures rose slightly in all directions today. The East was dry and clear, but the West Central and two States in the East Central group reported rains, heavy in Iowa and Minnesota, but light in other localities. North Dakota had fresh snow. Montana and Western Canada also reported additional snow. The maximum temperature in Chicago was 44 deg., minimum 34 deg., with a nineteen-mile east wind and a dash of rain. Temperatures elsewhere, as officially reported by the United States Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	88	64
Boise, Idaho	46	32
Boston, Mass.	52	36
Buffalo, N. Y.	52	30
Calgary, Alberta	54	34
Denver, Colo.	54	32
Des Moines, Iowa	52	44
Dodge City, Kan.	74	32
Duluth, Minn.	38	26
Durango, Colo.	40	30
Eureka, Cal.	52	44
Flagstaff, Ariz.	52	32
Fresno, Cal.	82	44
Galveston, Tex.	82	66
Havre, Mont.	54	28
Helena, Mont.	60	26
Huron, S. D.	44	28
Jacksonville, Fla.	78	52
Kamloops, B. C.	48	32
Kansas City, Mo.	72	42
Knoxville, Tenn.	76	44
Los Angeles, Cal.	74	52
Memphis, Tenn.	80	44
Modena, Utah	44	30
Montreal, Quebec	44	32
Moorhead, Minn.	50	26
Mt. Wilson, Cal.	57	34
Needles, Cal.	90	58
New Orleans, La.	78	58
New York, N. Y.	58	42
North Head, Wash.	48	42
North Platte, Neb.	52	34
Oklahoma City, Okla.	78	50
Omaha, Neb.	60	30
Pasadena, Cal.	76	52
Phoenix, Ariz.	86	48
Pittsburgh, Pa.	60	42
Portland, Or.	54	42
Rapid City, S. D.	42	24
Red Bluff, Cal.	84	40
Redlands, Cal.	80	42
Reno, Nev.	44	22
Riverside, Cal.	82	44
Roseburg, Or.	58	36
Roswell, N. M.	78	48
St. Louis, Mo.	62	34
St. Paul, Minn.	48	34
Sacramento, Cal.	62	38
Salt Lake City, Utah	48	34
Santa Barbara, Cal.	76	48
San Bernardino, Cal.	80	42
San Diego, Cal.	68	52
San Francisco, Cal.	56	42
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	64	34
Seattle, Wash.	54	38
Sheridan, Wyo.	46	28
Spokane, Wash.	46	30
Swift Current, Sask.	32	20
Tampa, Fla.	84	62
Toonopah, Nev.	56	36
Tucson, Ariz.	78	46
Washington, D. C.	64	46
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Winnemucca, Nev.	46	20
Winnipeg, Man.	50	32
Yuma, Ariz.	70	52

Latin Lands.

ARGENTINE BREAK SEEMS ASSURED.

LOSS OF SHIP AROUSES ANGER OF WHOLE NATION.

Brazil Completes Internment of German Vessels—Diplomat Forecasts Early Active Participation. Teutons Formally Notified of Stand.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—Dispatches received here today state that Argentina is likely to sever diplomatic relations with Germany at any moment. The feeling throughout the country, it was said, is running strong against Germany, especially after the sinking of an Argentine brigantine, the Monte Protegedo, off the Scilly Islands a few days ago, by a German submarine. The vessel was flying the Argentine colors, although all members of the crew were Norwegians.

SHIPS INTERNED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

RIO DE JANEIRO, April 16.—The seizure of German ships has been completed without incident. Press dispatches from Santos report the arrest of three German spies near the fort at Itaihu. More than 50,000 persons attended a demonstration today under the auspices of the League of the Allies. The crowd was stirred to enthusiasm by a speech by Ruy Barbosa, Brazilian Ambassador to Argentina, who said:

"The great war is drawing Brazil irresistibly onward. I am convinced that war is inevitable. All North and South America ere long will be fighting for humanity.

"There is an absolute identity of interests between Brazil and the United States as regards Germany. The United States is in a state of war. Are the lives of Brazilians worth more than the lives of North Americans. The contribution of Brazil in the war will not be negligible. Aside from the value of our moral support we shall assist the Allies with our fleet in patrolling the seas. Furthermore it is only by entering the war that we shall be able to solve the problem of the Germanization of Southern Brazilian states."

GERMANY NOTIFIED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) April 16, 3:10 p.m.—Delivery to the German Foreign Office by the Brazilian Minister of the note announcing the breaking off of relations between the two countries is reported in a telegram from Berlin. The reason given for this procedure is the destruction of the Brazilian steamship Paranda by a German naval vessel.

PARAGUAY NEUTRAL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Paraguay's response to the notification of a state of war between the United States and Germany received today at the State Department announces a policy of neutrality, but approves the action of the United States.

FOOD ADULTERATIONS CHARGED BY STATE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—The State Board of Health late today filed thirty-two complaints against local firms, charging they had violated the California Pure Food and Drug Act. All are charged with various adulterations of wines and liquors. It was said the warrants would be sworn to by Inspector M. P. Duffy. The Julius Levin Co., which compromised a case with the government, alleging violations of internal revenue regulations, some time ago, had eight counts returned against it.

Happenings on the Pacific Slope

At Sacramento.

SCHOOLS MAY TRAIN BODIES.

Senate Approves the Bill for Physical Upbuilding.

Will Provide for Specialists to Direct Work.

Both Houses Pass Upon Many New Laws.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 16.—Physical education for pupils in the elementary and secondary schools, as provided in a bill by Senator Luce of San Diego, was given approval by the Senate today and sent to the Assembly. The measure further requires that a course in physical education shall be taught in the State normal schools and would make the completion of the course a requirement for graduation. In the elementary schools twenty minutes' training each day would be required of the pupils and at least two hours a week in the high schools. Pupils, however, may obtain exemption from the training by reason of physical disability.

Senator Luce said that such training for boys and girls had been indorsed by former Gov. Johnson in his message to the Legislature, by the faculties of the University of California and Stanford University, various women's clubs and more recently by the State Council of Defense.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTORS.

The bill makes it incumbent on the State Board of Education to prescribe the physical training courses and appoint a general commissioner to supervise the work. The salary is fixed at $3600 a year. Each school district would be required to appoint as many special teachers as would be necessary to take charge of the physical training.

The Senate spent a busy day and disposed of fifty-two bills, seventeen being Assembly measures. One Assembly bill, by C. W. Lyon of Venice, requiring the labeling of commercial foodstuffs for livestock in order that their food values might be indicated, was defeated. The Senate also killed a Senate bill by McDonald of San Francisco authorizing county boards of Supervisors to establish "public medical centers for the care and health of children." The bill was intended to supplant a State law which requires medical examination of children who attend public schools.

Among other bills passed was a measure by Inman of Sacramento appropriating $500,000 to carry out the State's agreement with the Federal government in the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers flood control project.

A dozen or more county government acts, approved by the various boards of Supervisors, and several appropriation bills, also were passed during the day.

Others included:

By Slater: Authorizing the elevation of several appointees in the department of engineering to the status of statutory officers, and increasing the department secretary from $200 a month to $250.

By Ingram: Permitting the State Board of Prison Directors to offer rewards for the capture of escaped convicts, not to exceed $1000.

By Luce: Authorizing the Industrial Accident Commission and the Railroad Commission to assume joint jurisdiction over the enforcement of safety orders and rules governing the employment of persons by public utilities.

By Scott: Requiring insurance companies to standardize the provisions of health and accident policies.

By Ryan: Exempting county mutual insurance companies, title insurance companies and fraternal benefit societies from the provisions of the insurance agent licensing act.

UPHOLD TRAINING.

By a vote of 25 to 1, the Senate refused to concur in an Assembly amendment to Senator A. H. Breed's joint resolution declaring in favor of universal military training. The amendment would have had the effect of placing the State on record in favor of universal military training only "during the present national crisis."

Senator Breed declared the amendment made the resolution ridiculous.

"The time for universal military training," said Senator Breed, "is before a national crisis and not in the midst of it."

The resolution now returns to the Assembly, with the Senate's objections. Senator W. A. McDonald of San Francisco cast the only vote for the Assembly amendment.

CLOTURE RULE.

A cloture rule limiting opening speeches to ten minutes and debating speeches to five minutes each was adopted by the Senate. The rule is in the interest of conserving time during the remaining days of the session.

Senator Rigdon's bill establishing a cattle protection board to protect breeders from theft, and providing for a system of brand registration, was passed today by the Senate and sent to the Assembly. Rigdon said the bill met with the approval of California stockmen, in whose interest it was introduced.

ASHLEY BILL HEARING.

Assemblyman Ashley's saloon regulation bill will be given a hearing tomorrow night by the Senate Public Morals Committee, and it was regarded as certain today that several drastic amendments would be offered, greatly increasing the scope of the measure. As passed recently by the Assembly, the bill would limit the number of saloons to one for every 500 of population and require Sunday closing. The bill is not far-reaching enough to suit some of the members of the Public Morals Committee.

IN THE ASSEMBLY.

The four-year fight of certain Sutter county farmers to obtain a rerouting of the Sutter Basin bypass culminated in the Assembly today in the adoption of a resolution taking the entire issue out of committee. A bill by Assemblyman Tarke of Sutter county will be considered by the lower house tomorrow as a committee of the whole. The Tarke bill has been tabled by the Assembly Committee on Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Lands. It was taken from committee today by a vote of 42 to 22, through a resolution by Johnson of South Pasadena.

The so-called eastern location of the proposed Sutter Basin by-pass, authorized by the Legislature in 1913, is opposed by Sutter farmers on a claim that it will pocket their holdings between levees of the Feather River and the by-pass, and create a high flood line menace should the levees prove insecure. The Tarke bill seeks to shift the proposed by-pass, the so-called central location, some miles further west. In its present amended form the Tarke bill would provide compensation to district 1500 for such construction work on the eastern location as the State Reclamation Board should deem wasted, to be paid by assessment over the entire area affected. The by-pass would extend the full distance from Butte Slough to the Sacramento River, near its juncture at the Feather River.

PROVIDE FOR BONDS.

The Assembly today passed a bill by Gebhart of Sacramento clarifying the powers of the State Reclamation Board with respect to the grand scheme of Sacramento and San Joaquin flood control, and providing for the issuance of bonds and the levying of assessments.

The Attorney-General's office with difficulty obtained passage of a bill authorizing an additional deputy at $3000 a year. A spasm of economy in the lower house resulted in heated debate against the proposal, which finally carried, 46 to 22. Reconsideration, Petris of Fort Bragg announced, will be sought tomorrow.

Senator F. M. Carr's bill relating to the certification of school teachers was passed by the Assembly. It provides that special certificates shall be issued to teachers of the deaf and dumb and to vocational instructors, that elementary certificates shall be awarded university graduates with one year's teaching experience, and that librarians in high schools must be certified.

A weekly pay day for labor on State works, provided for by Senator Lyon, was approved in the lower house.

An amendment to the Morris Sunday closing bill, removing saloons from the list of "works of necessity" that might keep open on Sunday, was adopted by the Assembly, 38 to 35. Merriam of Long Beach proposed the amendment.

The Assembly Drainage Committee tonight passed out, without recommendation, a bill by Kylberg of Merced eliminating Fresno, Stanislaus, Merced and Madera counties from the Sacramento and San Joaquin drainage district. The counties are seeking to avoid assessment for reclamation works in which they claim to have no vital interest.

A similar bill by Polsley of Tehama, eliminating Glenn and part of Butte counties, was also passed out.

Tonight the Assembly passed a bill by Ambrose of Los Angeles, putting under Railroad Commission jurisdiction the inland river boats which maintain irregular schedules and compete with established lines.

A bill by Gelder of Berkeley, providing for a "blind relief commission" and county funds for the needy blind, was passed.

Make Issue.

WOMEN INSIST ON FREE SPEECH.

TELEGRAPH CONGRESSWOMAN OF ALLEGED UNFAIRNESS.

East Bay Meeting is Suppressed by Purported Agent of Government and Those Attending Promptly Protest—Wished to Discuss Conscription.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BERKELEY (Cal.) April 16.—Congresswoman Jeanette Ranklin was asked today in a telegram, sent by a committee representing a number of East Bay women to take steps to prevent a recurrence of what the senders assert to have been an abridgment of their rights.

The telegram was the result of attempts made yesterday by the women to hold a meeting and form a local of the Congress of Forums, which includes chapters throughout the country and has among its advisory directors Jane Addams, Ray Stannard Baker, Samuel Gompers, David Starr Jordan, Lincoln Steffens and Edwin Markham. The women were refused the use of the board of education hall after they had been promised it. Then they went to a nearby hall, but before they had begun organization, a man who said his name was Hughes, asserted that he was a member of the army intelligence bureau, ordered the women to cease preparation. He made threats of arrest and the women finally withdrew to a private house, where the chapter was organized.

The telegram to Miss Rankin says:

"Feeling that the grave questions before the American people and, especially the looming question of conscription, demanded serious discussion, a group of women attempted to gather at the Board of Education rooms of the University City of Berkeley. Permission of the board was first granted and then withdrawn. The meeting then adjourned to another hall. It was peremptorily stopped by a person representing himself as head of a division of the intelligence bureau of the United States Army. He declared its as yet unstated purposes treasonable. The purpose of the meeting was the formation of a branch of the Congress of Open Forums, Percy Stickney Grant of New York City, president. According to our constitution, grave steps like conscription must be taken with the consent of the governed. We protest against any abridgment of our rights."

[Signed]

"C. ANITA WHITNEY,
"Secretary."

BRAND WHITLOCK IN PARIS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, April 16, 1:44 p.m.—Brand Whitlock, United States Minister to Belgium, accompanied by Mrs. Whitlock and the legation staff, arrived today from Switzerland. Mr. Whitlock will remain here several days before establishing the legation at Havre, the present seat of the Belgium government.

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GOVERNMENT LIKELY TO ... SHIP CARPENTERS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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NATION WANTS SHIPS

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FROST HURTS CROPS IN NORTH OF ...

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TRAINING NEW ...

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, ... Nearly 500 noncommissioned ... of the United States ... pick of the Western Department ... recommended for ... missions, answered present ... the opening of a special ... them at the Presidio, a ... military reservation.

TUCSON MAN TO ... CEREMONY IN VIRGINIA

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE.]

RICHMOND (Va.) April ... lan Kissock, mining engineer ... Tucson, Ariz., formerly of ... got a license here today to ... Ethel B. Wheeler, 23, of ... The knot will be tied at ... mond Hotel Wednesday by ... the Rev. J. Alexander ... tist minister of McKee's ... Kissock met his fiancee ... ment here today, and they ... afterward to the City ... license. Her parents, Mr. ... Charles B. Wheeler, ... her down from Brooklyn, ... parents, Mr. and Mrs. ... sock of Brooklyn, are ... the wedding.

BERNHARDT ILL.

Famous Actress Reported ... York Hospital.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April ... Bernhardt, the actress who ... moved from her hotel to a ... here yesterday, was said ... physicians tonight to be ... "signs of improvement." ... tation was held during ... noon, but it could not ... whether an operation ... formed.

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[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.] ...INGTON, April

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GOVERNMENT LISTS SHIP CARPENTERS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—[abr] and other organizations throughout the country have been called upon by the government to aid the shipping board in the prompt construction of its fleet of wooden ships by furnishing the names of ship carpenters available. To meet the demand, estimated at 100,000 men, there are approximately 25,000 ship carpenters in the United States. These will be used in training carpenters not skilled in ship building.

PACIFIC MAIL LINE BARS ENEMY ALIENS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—[abr] mans unable to furnish highest credentials as to character will be accepted as passengers on Pacific Mail steamers from the Canal to South America or Mexico, it became known here today. Officials of the company said that all Pacific Mail agents in foreign countries had been notified to this effect and that precautions to prevent "dangerous aliens" or aliens likely to prove active enemies of the United States from securing passage to this country were being taken.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC TO QUIT YELLOW PAPER

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—[abr] low paper used by the Southern Pacific Railroad for years in its official correspondence has been discarded in favor of white paper because of the cost of dyes. Oil will be used for memorandum pads.

NATION WANTS SHIPWRECKS

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Anthony Caminetti, Commissioner General of Immigration, telegraphed to the Federal Labor Bureau here today requesting it to register shipwrights and ship carpenters for work on wooden ships to be constructed by the government at private yards.

BRADY BURIED.

Cosmopolitan Throng Pays Last Respects to "Diamond Jim."

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—[abr] brokers, directors of corporations, lawyers, actors and actresses, leading men and restaurant proprietors and people from the poor districts of the East Side who had been relieved by his benefactions were among the cosmopolitan throng which filled St. Agnes Church, overflowing today at funeral services for James Buchanan Brady, "Diamond Jim." Hundreds failed to enter the edifice, remaining in the street until the services were over.

Monsignor Henry Brann said the character of Brady "must have been as estimable as his charity was great; such a notable gathering was a respect to his memory."

FROST HURTS CROPS IN NORTH OF STATE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 16.—[abr] frost damage to peach, almond, apricot and potato crops in the Sutter, Tehama and Shasta districts during the last twenty-four hours has been reported to State Horticultural Commissioner George H. Hecke and investigation is being made to ascertain extent of the injury. Early reports say crops are wiped out, but these are regarded as exaggerated and no official estimate of damage has been made as yet. The local weather forecaster predicts a heavy frost throughout Northern California tonight.

TRAINING NEW OFFICERS

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April [illegible]. Nearly 500 noncommissioned officers of the United States Army, picked from the Western Department, recommended for temporary commissions, answered present today at the opening of a special school for them at the Presidio, a United States military reservation.

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CEREMONY IN VIRGINIA TODAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RICHMOND (Va.) April 16.—[abr] lan Kissock, mining engineer, of Tucson, Ariz., formerly at Bisbee, got a license here today to wed Ethel B. Wheeler, 22, of Richmond. The knot will be tied at the Richmond Hotel Wednesday evening by the Rev. J. Alexander Cyphe, pastor minister of McKee's Methodist Kissock met his fiancee by accident here today, and they were married afterward to the City Hall to obtain license. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Wheeler, accompanied her down from Brooklyn, Kissock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kissock of Brooklyn, are also here for the wedding.

BERNHARDT ILL.

Famous Actress Removed to New York Hospital.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—[abr] Bernhardt, the actress, who was moved from her hotel to a hospital here yesterday, was said by her physicians tonight to be showing signs of improvement." A consultation was held during the day at noon, but it could not be learned whether an operation would be performed.

Her condition is not serious, physicians say, and denial was made of a report that she was to be operated upon. The nature of her illness was not disclosed. The actress has been ill several weeks. She is 72 years old.

Early Closing for Want Ads.

Times Want Ad [illegible] necessary for classified [illegible] all other Part V advertisements in the Times will not be accepted after 5 o'clock Saturdays.

"Wanted" and "To Let" advertisements will be accepted as usual until 11 o'clock p.m.

Advertisements ordered for Sunday's Times cannot be changed after 5 o'clock p.m. Saturday.

Read the "Poultry Ranches" columns in the Times "Liner" pages for paying poultry propositions.

The War at Sea.

...S INTERNE ...S. SCORPION.

...ies not Surprised at ...ion Over Gunboat.

...n Takes Over All Ships ...der British Flag.

...h Tanker Narragansett ...nk by Torpedo.

...ATCH CABLE AND A. P.]
...day, April 16, 11:40 a.m.—[abr] ...statement issued by the ...War Office says that the ...gunboat Scorpion has ...rned.

...N WAS EXPECTED.
...[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
...STON, April 16.—The ...of the Scorpion has been ...here for some time and is ...in accordance with the ...ding such action for a ...war vessel not leaving ...a prescribed time. About ...ago the Navy Depart...through the State Depart...that Ambassador Elkus ...that the Scorpion leave ...here for the Black Sea. ...objected to this on the ...that sea was practically ...by Russia, an enemy of ...ny. Germany. Departure ...the Dardanelles was ...possible, and as a result ...the crew went through ...Switzerland before the ...the former country.

...SHIPS FOR WAR.
...A. P. DAY WIRE.]
...ORK, April 16.—Official ...requisitioning by the ...ment of all ships un... flag, in accordance ...announcement of Premier ...some time ago, has ...by the International ...Marine. The order be...beginning with the ...their home ports of ves... their port of depar... after March 21. They ...used at the so-called ...rates" fixed by the gov... somewhat lower than ...for cargo space re...

...ken 40 per cent. of the ...of the International Mer... is under the British

...ED CARRIER SUNK.
...A. P. DAY WIRE.]
...ORK, April 16.—The ...steamship Narragan... of 1194 tons and one of ...carriers of bulk oil ever ...been torpedoed and sunk ...off the Irish coast, ac... heard brought here today ...on a British ship.

...ansett was owned by ...American Oil Company, ...here by E. A. Eames. ...of the company it was ...of the vessel had been ...although several reports ...had met with disaster had ...from unofficial sources. ...ansett was last re... she left here for a ...March 5. She was ...at Greenock, Scotland, ...but long and could carry ...of oil.

...ATE FROM AIR.
...ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]
...ON, April 16, 8:44 p.m.—[abr] ...Admiralty statement is... says:

...sence of German sub... on British steam... and flagrant contra... the Hague convention, a ...ber of British and ...ships carried out a re... ...partment of the town of ...Saturday. Many bombs ...dropped with good results. ...a large number of air ...hostile airplanes, all our ...except one, returned safe...

Enemies Multiply.

NEW PARTY IN GERMANY WILL BATTLE AUTOCRACY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) April 16, 8:05 p.m.—The Vorwaerts, the German Socialist organ, announced that as a result of a conference at Gotha, a new Socialist party has been formed by Socialists opposed to the Phillip Schiedemann party. The new party will be known as the independent Socialist Democratic party of Germany. The presidents of the central executive are Hugo Haase and Georg Ledebour.

The policy of the new party is described as fundamental opposition to the prevailing government system, its war policy, and to the pro-government policy of the normal Socialist party.

Socialists to the number of 148 participated at the conference at Gotha, including fifteen members of the Reichstag.

Austrian Plan.

POLAND MAY BE FREED AS FIRST PEACE STEP.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN (via London) April 16, 6:13 p.m.—A plebiscite for the population of the new kingdom of Poland, naturally without the inclusion of the German Polish areas, to determine whether the kingdrom shall detach itself from Russia and establish a buffer state between Russia and Germany, may possibly be the basis of the latest Austro-German peace offer to Russia, as far as German aspirations in the east are concerned.

Austria-Hungary, for her part, seems, from the wording of recent outgivings, clearly to have abandoned all the plans for annexation, which developed during the war. The German allusions to the subject are less specifically phrased. The specific wording of an article in the Socialist newspaper Vorwaerts, now considered to speak with some authority, however, gives a clew to the situation, which the German government apparently has in mind as between the Socialist demand for peace without annexations or indemnities and the insistence of the other parties for a peace that would in some measure compensate Germany for her sacrifices in blood and treasure and assure a safe future for the German empire, as the catch phrase of both the Pan-German annexationists and the government has it.

"We have reason to believe," the newspaper declares in referring to the Socialist stand for a peace without annexations or conquests or humiliation for any nation, and for giving every race the right to decide its own destinies, "that the government recognizes the justice of this standpoint and honestly desires to terminate the war by negotiations in which the powers would participate on the basis of full equality with every thought of enforced cessions of territory excluded."

The words "enforced cessions of territory" are heavily italicised, and evidently give the key to the article, which raises the idea of a voluntary institution of Polish independence in accordance with the principles of the Russian radical Socialists. Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, with such a solution attained, could argue that a necessary buffer state to prevent Russian aggression in the future had been set up thereby, and that Germany through it had obtained at least some compensation for the cost of the war. Subsequent progress in the Vorwaerts declare that once the idea of a peace conference is accepted the German government dares as little as any other government to justify any abandonments of the negotiations on the ground that it could not get through this or that demand for annexation.

Peace, therefore, is inevitable if a peace conference is convoked, the newspaper says:

The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung contains further confirmation of a recent Associated Press dispatch on the negotiations between the Socialists and the governments, namely that the Socialists had secured a promise from the government to undertake no offensive on the Russian front for the time being, but to leave the Russians in quiet, either to develop an understanding between the Russo-German Socialists, or, in default of this, to permit the growth of the lack of harmony between the radicals and the provisional government in Russia.

AUSTRIAN PREMIER TO QUIT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN (via London) April 16, 2:20 p.m.—According to a Vienna dispatch to the Deutsch Tages Zeitung of Berlin, Count Henry Clam-Martinic, Austrian Premier, is suffering from influenza and will retire shortly from the Premiership.

Millenial.

...RLD PEACE IS GOAL ...OF GERMAN SOCIALISTS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

...AGEN (via London) ...16, 8:20 p.m.—A larger ...Socialist peace meet... today was addressed ...g, a Socialist and ...portfolio, who was ...the German Socialists as ...ary for the transmis... ...graphic peace over... ...Russian Socialists. ...In his speech denied ...peace between Rus... ...many was the aim ...their efforts were di... ...to a general world ...ace which would pre... ...future.

...d that the rumors be... ...against the ostensible ...German Socialists to ne...gotiate a separate peace with Russia—a plan which was non-existent—were inspired by opposition to the whole idea of peace at present. He said:

"We don't wish to contribute to a separate Russo-German peace, after which hostilities would flare up still more violently on the other fronts, but to a universal world peace. We reserve the right to undertake any work bringing us nearer that goal. We know, too, that the German Socialists wish a general peace. They know that a separate peace would be of little value. They are working for an understanding among the people which will open the way to the desired peace. The possibilities of such an understanding have been increased greatly by developments in Russia."

Overtures.

...TRIA MAY SOON QUIT ...ERMANY TO GET PEACE.

...ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
...April 16.—Austria's ...overture to Russia, while ...to fall in inveigling ...the Entente, is regarded ...significant indication ...tendency at work be... ...and Germany. Its ...believed, will be found ...ominous at the Hom... ...of Emperor Wil... ...a joint overture to ...the Entente as a whole, ...Karl of Austria went ...

...ture was followed by ...official announcement that ...proposal would be made. ...has now taken inde... ...in a way that can... ...to the German ...

...from Austria make ...pressure for peace, to ...Karl is being sub... ...people is proving ir... ...that the failure of this ...soon be followed by ...step in a form which ...a real opening for ...with the Entente on the basis of Austria's severance from Germany.

Austria's straits are desperate and by continue adhesion to Germany's unattainable war aims, in addition to other untold calamities, she is inviting a permanent Prussian domination.

Austria's move is only one of many reasons, military and otherwise, to which the wave of optimism, now discernible here, is due.

UNIDENTIFIED PLANES TO BE FIRED UPON.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) April 16.—Sheriff Miles of Pima county today ordered that airplanes flying over the city without identifying themselves shall be fired upon.

Many airplanes have been reported flying by night over the city without communication from the government as to their identity. Early Sunday morning guards reported such a machine turned a searchlight upon the armory. The machines were reported sailing southwest.

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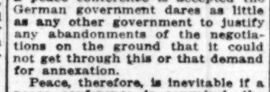

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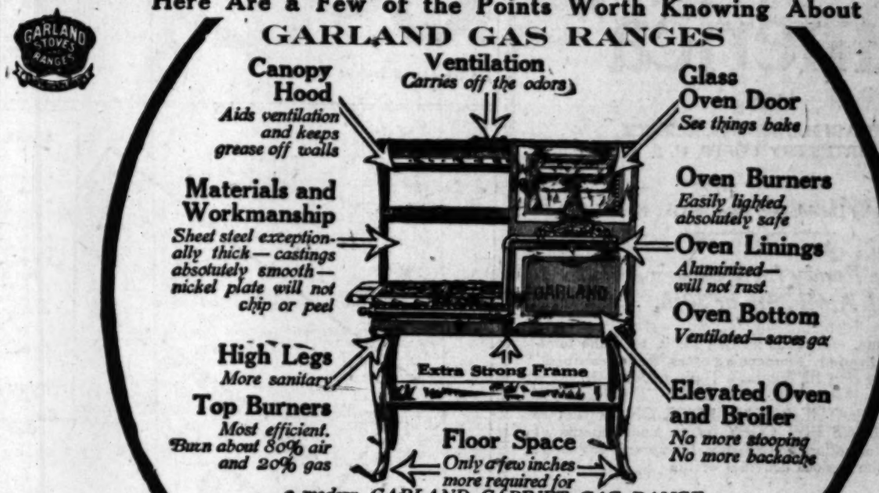

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HABEAS CORPUS DENIED.

Parents of Rev. Slaughter's Affinity Fail to Get Control of Her.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, April 16.—The Appellate Court of the Third District denied today the habeus corpus writ secured by Fred M. Lamson of Chico in an effort to secure custody of his daughter, Gertrude Lamson, principal figure in the trial of Rev. Madison Slaughter at Oroville, last year. The court held Lamson and his wife were not entitled to the custody of the child, but that they should have notices of Juvenile Court orders relative to her disposal.

It developed at the hearing that Gertrude has been at St. Catherine's Home in San Francisco, where she was sent while under the jurisdiction of the Butte county Juvenile Court. She was remanded to the Juvenile Court.

No outward sign of recognition passed between the child and her parents when they met today in the courtroom.

RULING COSTS STATE MILLION.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Hetty Green was declared to have been a non-resident of this State at the time of her death, by Surrogate Fowler, here today. By this decision New York State loses a transfer tax of more than a million dollars.

CHINO MAN WOUNDED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) April 16.—Homer Hamilton Knoll of Chino, Cal., was given among the "seriously ill, wounded," in the Canadian casualty list today.

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Citizens and Aliens Alike Must Guard Acts.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—All persons in the United States, citizens and aliens, are warned in a proclamation issued today by President Wilson that treasonable acts or attempts to shield those committing such acts will be vigorously prosecuted by the government.

The proclamation defines treason, citing statutes, provisions of the Constitution and decisions of the courts and declares that the acts described will be regarded as treasonable whether committed within the borders of the United States or elsewhere.

Far-reaching importance attaches to the direction of the warning to aliens and the declaration that "resident aliens as well as citizens owe allegiance to the United States," and therefore are equally subject to the laws against treason and like crimes.

At war, the United States is in a very different position from a neutral. Bomb plotters may now be gripped with an iron hand. Not only are conspirators themselves subject to heavy penalties but anyone, even a German resident who has knowledge of treasonable acts and fails to make known the facts to the authorities, may be sent to prison for seven years and fined $1000 for misprision or treason.

THE PROCLAMATION.

The President's proclamation follows:

Whereas, all persons in the United States, citizens as well as aliens, should be informed of the penalties which they will incur for any failure to bear true allegiance to the United States.

Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, hereby issue this proclamation to call especial attention to the following provisions of the Constitution and the laws of the United States:

Section 3 of Article III of the Constitution provides in part:

Treason against the United States shall consist only in levying war against them, or in adhering to their enemies, giving them aid and comfort. The Criminal Code of the United States provides:

"Sec. 1—Whoever, owing allegiance to the United States, levies war against them or adheres to their enemies, giving them aid and comfort, within the United States or elsewhere, is guilty of treason.

PENALTY IS DEATH.

"Sec. 2—Whoever is convicted of treason shall suffer death; or at the discretion of the court, shall be imprisoned not less than five years and fined not less than $10,000, to be levied on and collected out of any or all of his property, real and personal, of which he was the owner at the time of committing such treason, any sale or conveyance to the contrary notwithstanding, and every person so convicted of treason shall, moreover, be incapable of holding any office under the United States.

"Sec. 3—Whoever owing allegiance to the United States and having knowledge of any treason against them conceals and does not as soon as may be, disclose and make know the same to the President or some judge of the United States or to the Governor or some judge or justice of a particular State, is guilty of misprision or treason and shall be imprisoned not more than seven years and fined not more than $1000.

"Sec. 4—If two or more persons in any State or Territory or in any place subject to the jurisdiction of the United States conspire to overthrow, put down, or destroy by force the government of the United States or to levy war against them or to oppose by force the authority thereof, or by force to prevent, hinder, or delay the execution of any law of the United States, or by force to seize, take or possess any property of the United States contrary to the authority thereof, they shall each be fined not more than $5000, or imprisoned [illegible] years, or both."

TREASONABLE [illegible]

The courts of the [illegible] have stated the [illegible] treasonable:

The use or [illegible] force or violence [illegible] ment of the United [illegible] military or naval [illegible]

The acquisition, [illegible] of any property with [illegible] it is to be or which [illegible] be of assistance to the [illegible] hostilities against the [illegible]

The performance [illegible] the publication of [illegible] formation which will [illegible] in any way, aid and [illegible] enemies of the United [illegible]

The direction, aiding [illegible] ancing of any of the [illegible]

Such acts are held to [illegible] able whether committed [illegible] United States or elsewhere [illegible] committed by a citizen [illegible] States and an alien [illegible] residing in the United [illegible] much as resident aliens [illegible] citizens, owe allegiance [illegible] States and its laws.

Any such citizen or [illegible] has knowledge of the [illegible] such acts and conceals [illegible] make known the facts [illegible] named in section 3 of the [illegible] is guilty of misprision [illegible]

And I hereby proclaim [illegible] all citizens of the United [illegible] all aliens owing allegiance [illegible] United States, to abstain [illegible] mitting any and all acts [illegible] constitute a violation of [illegible] laws herein set forth, [illegible] proclaim and warn all [illegible] may commit such acts [illegible] be vigorously prosecuted.

It witness whereof, I [illegible] unto set my hand and [illegible] seal of the United States [illegible] fixed.

Done at the city of [illegible] this sixteenth day of [illegible] year of our Lord one [illegible] hundred and seventeen, [illegible] independence of the United States of America the one hundred [illegible] first.

[Signed] WOODROW WILSON

By the President:

ROBERT LANSING,

Secretary of State.

WILL INQUIRE INTO HIGH COST [illegible]

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, [illegible] resolution by Senator [illegible] Ohio directing the [illegible] Commission to investigate [illegible] ufacture of American [illegible] tain whether recent [illegible] are due to manipulation [illegible] trade practices, was [illegible] Senate by unanimous [illegible] without debate today.

Precaution

PRIVATE WIRE TO BE DISC[illegible]

FIFTEEN HUNDRED PLANTS ARE AF[illegible]

Owners are Required Statement to Take [illegible] tenna, Break Ground [illegible] tions and Pack Away [illegible] paratus.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April [illegible] wireless telegraph [illegible] operated by the government [illegible] ordered dismantled [illegible] today by direction of [illegible] of the Navy. Failure [illegible] to comply with this order [illegible] in confiscation of equipment.

The action was taken [illegible] executive order recently [illegible] President Wilson, directing [illegible] Navy Department take charge [illegible] stations. The department says:

THE STATEMENT.

"All licenses for radio [illegible] shore are suspended for the [illegible] of the war. The Secretary [illegible] Navy has directed that [illegible] war all radio sending [illegible] stations, other than those [illegible] by the United States [illegible] closed. A station [illegible] closed only when its [illegible] ered, coiled and sealed [illegible] nection broken and [illegible] dismantled and packed [illegible] incumbent upon the [illegible] selves to close their [illegible] ure to close stations [illegible] apparatus being [illegible] government. The [illegible] tion operating in [illegible] order will be under [illegible] ing an enemy alien. [illegible] that full publicity [illegible] tice in order that [illegible] be acquainted with [illegible] ments."

MANY ON [illegible]

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, [illegible] proximately 600 [illegible] stations in California [illegible] by naval authorities [illegible] with orders issued [illegible] partment today, [illegible] officers here. About [illegible] will be affected in the [illegible] district, including [illegible] Utah and Colorado.

RATE HEARING [illegible]

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April [illegible] terstate Commerce Commission [illegible] day set April 23 as the [illegible] first hearing in the [illegible] eral increase of [illegible] freight rates.

SENATE AFFIRMS [illegible]

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

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[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

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And I hereby proclaim and all citizens of the United S all aliens owing allegiance United States, to abstain fr mitting any and all acts w constitute a violation of an laws herein set forth; and I proclaim and warn all pers may commit such acts that be vigorously prosecuted

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[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
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DOES HIS BIT FOR THE ARMY.

Fashionable Dentist Called Out to Arcadia.

Has Several Adventures, but Finally Gets Tooth.

Cyril Maude will be Speaker at Pasadena Today.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PASADENA, April 17.—A fashionable dentist volunteered his services to his country and had a realistic bit of army experience yesterday when he was called from Pasadena at Arcadia to pull a tooth. He left home yesterday morning on his mission, and returned to the city last night after a day of adventure.

On account of the strict censorship, the dentist had difficulty in reaching the patient, and at various points at and near the military camp he was required to show his credentials. Before he was able to reach the sufferer, the dentist was held up no less than six times. He persevered, however, and in the end found the volunteer, who was suffering from a jumping toothache. He relieved the sufferer by removing the source of the trouble.

MR. MAUDE TO SPEAK.

Cyril Maude, English actor, will speak at noon today at the Maryland at a luncheon arranged under the auspices of the Friends of the Allies. It will be attended by the members of the Red Crossand other patriotic societies. Mr. Maude will speak in Los Angeles this afternoon.

Mr. Maude is familiar with conditions in the trenches in Europe, and in his address today he will give first-hand information, dwelling particularly on the progress of medical science as applied to the wounded. Mr. Maude lost a son in the conflict, and consequently the great struggle is a deep reality to him.

Rare Chinese porcelains, rugs, embroidery, necklaces and mandarin skirts, also antique bronzes. Nathan Bentz & Co., 23 W. 4th st., Los Angeles.—[Advertisement.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

We excel because of Permutit soft water. Troy Laundry.—[Advertisement.

Overwhelming.

BONDS ARE VOTED.

Glendora People, by Majority of Fifteen to One, Favor Issue of Forty Thousand Dollars for Fireproof, Eight-room Schoolhouse.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

GLENDORA, April 16.—At the school election held today the proposition to vote a bond issue of $40,000 to erect a fine new fireproof school building was carried by 369 to 21. The building will be of eight rooms.

A new fireproof, eight-classroom building was erected two years ago in the south part of town, but was not half big enough to meet the needs. There was an overflow of 100 children and they were compelled to attend the old frame schoolhouse built when the town was laid out thirty years ago.

The new schoolhouse will be erected on the site of this old building after the ancient structure is removed. With the new building Glendora will be in a position to provide ample education facilities for some time to come.

PUT FOOD RESOURCES ON MILITARY BASIS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, April 16.—A war food conference is to be held Friday morning at the Courthouse to discuss the county's food supplies. Representatives from every part of the county will participate. Friday a public conference will be held. This will be addressed by Dr. L. J. Webber, director of the Riverside Citrus Experiment Station. The conferences are called in an effort to arouse activity in planting and to co-operate with the government by placing the county's food resources on a military basis.

AGITATORS LEAVE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LINDSAY, April 16.—I.W.W. agitators, who during the past week attempted to call a general strike of workmen employed in the construction of the Lindsay-Strathmore irrigation system, started leaving here today in accordance with a promise made to Sheriff Smith, who assumed charge of the situation on the company's work from Exeter to Strathmore yesterday.

DEFENSE MEETING.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, April 16.—Grank Rossire, former Cuban sugar planter and now engaged in orange growing here, and Rev. Lee A. Wood, rector of St. John's Church, head the work of forming a local unit of the American League of California. A mass meeting has been called for Friday evening. Particular attention is to be paid to listing of automobiles for use in emergency and to increasing production of foodstuffs.

DOCTOR IS WINNER.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, April 16.—Dr. W. P. Burke was the winner of the weekly "sweeps" at the country club, when he turned in the low net score of 72. R. D. Millholland was second with 73, and L. R. Gay a close third with 76. Raymond Hornby had the best gross score of the day, 40 out and 40 in, a gross of 80, which represents exceptionally steady golf.

San Joaquin Valley.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTERVILLE, April 16.—Porterville total rain to this evening was .6 of an inch; season, 11.15 inches; average to date, 10.42; Lindsay, storm, .21 of an inch; season, 11.85 inches; Visalia, storm, .22 of an inch; season, 12.15 inches; Springville, storm, .27; season, 14.15.

RECALL IS LIKE SPRING TROUBLE

It Bursts Out Like a Pimple Upon the Disgruntled at Newport Beach.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

NEWPORT BEACH, April 16.—"In the spring the public fancy lightly turns to the recall."

So might the old adage be amended with more or less appropriateness during the spring season in this city. Various petitions have been circulated asking for the withdrawal of certain members of the board.

The first petition asked for the recall of President Jumper and Trustee McCain, but failed to receive the necessary number of signatures. It was circulated largely through the agency of certain factions which had "asked" and not "received."

Within the past few days a new petition has been circulated seeking to recall the entire board. It is extremely doubtful if the required number of signatures can be obtained.

Experiment.

IS READY TO DEAL WITH FARM LOANS.

COVINA VALLEY ASSOCIATION IS ORGANIZED.

Final Authority and Directions will be Received from Pacific Coast Federal Bank, Berkeley, in Near Future—The Board of Directors is Elected.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COVINA, April 16.—The Covina Valley National Farm Loan Association has been organized for business with the following directors: A. M. Seeley, E. F. Gloege, R. M. Douglas, Elmer Tomlinson and Gerame Reynolds. Mr. Seeley is president of the board and Mr. Gloege, vice-president. The appraisement, or loan, committee is composed of Mr. Douglas, chairman; Mr. Tomlinson and Mr. Seeley. H. O. Gardner has been appointed secretary-treasurer of the association and Mr. Reynolds, local secretary.

A meeting was held in Los Angeles Saturday for the purpose of perfecting arrangements for actual business. Final authority and directions will be received from the Pacific Coast Federal Bank in Berkeley in the near future, after which applications for loans will be received and passed upon by the loan committee. They will then be forwarded to Berkeley for funds.

The directors say that the work being new errors may be expected at first but they will gradually get into harness and try to make a success and a satisfactory working reality out of the Federal farm local business. Just how it will work out in the orange industry and other intensive farming lines is yet to be seen.

Alleges Tampering.

CHARGE BRIBERY IN MOONEY CASE.

WOMAN SWEARS TO OFFER OF CASH FOR EVIDENCE.

Estelle Smith Makes Affidavit that She was Asked to Give Testimony Against Defendant in Suitcase Bomb Trial—Claims She Reported to Authorities.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—In an affidavit, published in the Bulletin late today, Estelle Smith, one of the principal witnesses in the trial of Warren K. Billings, the first defendant to be tried in the conspiracy cases growing out of a bomb explosion here last July, swore that she had been offered a large sum by Frank C. Oxman, star witness against Thomas J. Mooney, alleged leader of the conspirators, to testify also at the Mooney trial. Miss Smith did not take the stand against Mooney, who was convicted and sentenced to be hanged. Billings was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment. Oxman, an Oregon cattleman, is expected to arrive here tomorrow in connection with the investigation of charges made by attorneys for the defense that he attempted to put on the stand as a witness against Mooney, a man who was at Niagara Falls at the time of the bomb explosion, which resulted in the death of ten persons.

Miss Smith swore that Oxman asked her to testify that she had seen Israel Weinberg, another of the defendants, at a certain address on Market street at the time of the explosion, offering her an amount "in five figures" if she would so testify. She said she had never seen Weinberg in her life, and she swore further that she gave a detailed account of the alleged interview with Oxman to Dist.-Atty. Charles M. Fickert and Captain of Police Duncan Matheson. She asserted that when she asked Oxman if the District Attorney had sent her to him, he said, "No, the men higher up."

Weinberg is the next of the defendants to be tried.

Discriminating travelers find Hotel del Coronado superbly equipped for their utmost comfort.—[Advertisement.

ORANGE DOCTOR DEAD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ORANGE, April 16.—The body of Dr. Ida B. Parker, aged 47, a physician, who died after a year's illness, is to be buried tomorrow at Rosedale Cemetery, Los Angeles, after services at Santa Ana. Dr. Parker lived here from early childhood. She was unmarried.

Representative.

FIVE HUNDRED ARE EXPECTED.

Three-day Convention to be Held at Riverside.

Large Gathering of National Electric-light Men.

Good Relations with Public One of Objects.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, April 16.—The first three-day convention of the Pacific Coast Section of the National Electric Light Association will be held here Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and will be attended by representatives of the fifty-one electric light companies of California, Arizona, Nevada and New Mexico, representing an invested capital of approximately $500,000,000, and a gross annual revenue of approximately $50,000,000.

These companies operate seventy-three hydro-electric plants with an aggregate installed capacity of 600,000 horse power and thirty-one steam plants with an aggregate installed capacity of 425,000 horse power and with a connected load of approximately 2,000,000 horse power. The population served approximates 4,000,000 people.

The companies which will be represented at this convention have constructed altogether 7500 miles of high-tension transmission lines and 25,000 miles of distribution lines, and are supplying electric current to 525,000 consumers. They have in their employ 15,000 people, representing an annual pay roll of approximately $13,000,000, and during the year 1916 expended for material and supplies over $15,000,000.

BROAD PLANS.

Asked to define the purpose of the Pacific Coast Section, President Russell H. Ballard of Los Angeles said: "Education and co-operation may be said to be the broad plans of the Pacific Coast Section. Education, not only of the men connected with the industry as employees, but of the officers of the companies as well. Adopting a common ground, the aims, policies and duties of the industry may be concretely placed before the public in such a way as to encourage a broader and more comprehensive knowledge of the value of the industry to the public and the public to the industry. Co-operation not only in methods of construction, commercializing, standardizing and efficiency, but in public relations, regulation and employees' welfare work."

PUBLIC POLICY.

One of the most important matters to be taken up will be the report of the Public Policy Committee, of which John A. Britton of San Francisco is chairman. The aims and objects of this committee are to thoroughly analyze all matters having to do with the public service, that is, in regard to the character of service furnished and the rates charged therefor, and to consider and advise upon legislation enacted by the State Railroad Commission and other regulating bodies. The report of the Public Policy Committee will be presented to the convention at the session to be held on Friday evening, April 20, when President Theien of the Railroad Commission is scheduled to deliver an address.

THE OFFICERS.

The convention will be called to order Thursday morning and it is expected there will be present at least 500 representatives of the companies operating in the territory covered by the Pacific Coast section. The officers are: R. H. Ballard, Los Angeles, president; H. F. Jackson, San Francisco, vice-president; Samuel Kahn, Stockton, vice-president; A. H. Holloran, San Francisco, secretary; A. N. Kemp, Los Angeles, treasurer. The following serve as an Executive Committee: Henry Bostwick, San Francisco; W. W. Briggs, San Francisco; William Baurhyte, Los Angeles; George A. Campbell, Reno; E. R. Davis, Los Angeles; W. P. Southard, Albuquerque; F. S. Viele, Prescott, Ariz.; A. Emory Wishon, Fresno; A. B. West, Riverside.

Motoring in or near Coronado Beach now enjoyed under most ideal conditions of year.—[Advertisement.

POMONA TO SUPPLY RECRUITS FOR CO. D.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, April 16.—Maj. Homer Duffy received a telegram today from Adjt.-Gen. J. J. Borree appointing him recruiting and mustering officer at this place for Co. D. The organization now has eighty-nine men and will be recruited at once to a strength of 100.

Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock Maj. Duffy will hold a rally at the armory to secure eleven recruits in order to fill up the ranks. Dr. T. Hardy Smith will conduct the physical examinations and Maj. Duffy will administer the oath. Those who join at that time will be sent to mobilization camp in Arcadia, from which place they will be assigned to Co. D. Ten young men went to Arcadia today to join the company, but one failed to pass his examination.

OIL FIELDS' KNIGHTS WORKING FOR LODGE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

M'KITTRICK, April 16.—Local members of the Knights of Pythias are perfecting arrangements for the organization of a lodge in this city. Forty applications for membership have been received already, and it is planned to hold the installation when the number reaches 100. There are many Knights in the oil fields, and good-working lodges in Bakersfield and Taft. Quite a large representation of these will accompany the Bakersfield Knights on the trip to Fresno on the 28th inst. to attend the session of the Knights of Khorassan, when about 200 candidates are to be initiated.

Proposed.

MILITARY ROAD TO SKIRT BORDER.

PROPOSITION WILL GO BEFORE STATE DEFENSE BOARD.

San Diego County Committee has Plan to Utilize Imperial Valley Highway as Link in Connection with Coast—Censored Mail Comes from San Francisco.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, April 16.—A military road along the Mexican border is proposed which would utilize the Imperial Valley highway and at Dulsura switch off to Tia Juana. The plan has been laid by the San Diego County Road Committee before the State Council of Defense. The construction required would be from Tia Juana to the Imperial Valley highway and the route proposed is over the Otay Mesa, south of Otay Dam, and to connect with the Imperial highway at Jones's Crossing. The military road would touch the border at Tia Juana, Tecate, Campo, Jacumba and Calexico. There is now a road built by Gov. Cantu on the Mexican side touching Tia Juana, Tecate and Mexicali.

CENSORED MAIL.

The first censored mail received here came today from the Navy Department at San Francisco bearing the inscription "Passed by Censor G. O. F." The mail was from Naval Militia boys of this city. War conditions in San Francisco call for censorship of mail departing from navy yards, stations and vessels.

NOT A SPY.

George L. Seibert, a German accused of the theft of articles from the drug store of Thomas Jerman at Ramona, was brought here from Riverside today, where he was suspected of being a spy. Seibert, when arrested, had with him a rifle, a number of knives and some ammunition and the police took him for a spy. The articles proved, however, to be the plunder stolen at Ramona.

Hotel del Coronado service begins at its Los Angeles office, 527 Spring.—[Advertisement.

BOARD OF MANAGERS ENDS INSPECTION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOLDIERS' HOME, April 16.—The board of managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, having finished its annual inspection of the Pacific branch, departed for the East last evening, except Hon. J. W. West, local manager of the eastern branch at Togus, Me., who is remaining over for a few days to visit with friends.

Members of the board expressed themselves as pleased with conditions generally. Maj. James W. Wadsworth, former president of the board, said: "I find some improvements about the park and buildings on every visit to this Home."

Col. James E. Miller, inspector-general of the National Home, who accompanied the board, was delayed by some unfinished business, but expects he will wind it up today and will proceed eastward tomorrow.

Assistant Surgeon George F. Campbell resigned from office on Saturday and will go into practice in the North.

SANTA ANA TO GET NEW BUSINESS BLOCK.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, April 16.—A lease was signed today and contracts entered into for the construction of a three-story-and-basement building at the corner of Fourth and Sycamore streets. The building, which will cost $50,000, will be built by Mrs. Susie Rutherford and will be occupied October 1 by the Rankin Dry Goods Company of Santa Ana.

GET RIFLE RANGE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, April 16.—Capt. Jake Berkline of the Venice Home Guards is making arrangements for a rifle range at Playa del Rey, so as to give the members of the company proper practice in shooting.

MINSTRELS TO HELP.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, April 16.—The firemen will repeat their minstrel show as a benefit for the fund being raised for the home guards which now amounts to about $1500. Companies of guards have already been established at Santa Paula, Oxnard, Fillmore and Ojai.

Beet Growers' Demand.

WANT SUGAR COMPANIES TO PAY HIGHER PRICES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, April 16.—Facing a shortage of help through the walkout of hundreds of Mexicans, and with provision prices soaring, members of the Beet Growers' Association of Southern California today decided to take steps toward plowing up their present crops of young growing beets and planting in their place vegetables and grain that will bring them more remunerative returns, if the contracting sugar companies do not agree to pay a larger price for the beets.

At a meeting today at Elftman station, near this city, where representatives of the beet ranchers from all over Southern California gathered to discuss the critical situation, it was decided to submit to the sugar companies immediately details of the difficulties now being met by the Southern California growers.

Chester Carlson, of the Carlson Brothers' beet ranch at Ferris and Willows, declared that the cost of thinning the beets this year will stand the ranchers 32 1-2 per cent. more than last year, and that topping will cost 100 per cent. more. Already several ranchers in Los Angeles county have plowed up hundreds of acres of their beets and have planted corn in their place.

Peaceful End.

QUIETLY GOES DURING NIGHT.

Find Santa Monica Resident Dead in His Bed.

For Years was Prominent in South Dakota Affairs.

Served as a Colonel During Sioux Outbreak.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, April 16.—Samuel A. Wheeler, once prominent in State and county affairs of South Dakota, was found dead in his bed this morning at the family home, No. 1333 Seventh street. He was 76 years old.

Mr. Wheeler was once Commissioner of Labor for South Dakota and was prominent in Deadwood, S. D. He was a delegate to the constitutional convention of South Dakota, Treasurer of Butte county, clerk of the county and circuit courts there, and was commissioned as a colonel at the outbreak of the Sioux rebellion. Mr. Wheeler had lived in Santa Monica seventeen years and was prominent in local affairs. He was a Mason, a Woodman and a member of the G.A.R.

He leaves a widow, two sons, Ira Wheeler of Visalia and S. Earl Wheeler of Santa Monica; a brother, W. W. Wheeler of Randsburg, and a sister, Mrs. Roxy Wilcow of Lisle, N. Y.

AFFORDS EXCITEMENT.

Considerable excitement was created this morning when a large steamer loomed on in the horizon north of Catalina Island. The vessel took a peculiar course not followed by most trade steamers and was thought to be a cruiser. The police, who were notified, suggested that the vessel might have been a lumber schooner with a light cargo.

FOOD CONSERVATION.

In response to a request from F. E. Doty, appointed by the County Supervisors to urge concerted planting in this section, the City Commissioners today appointed a committee of six to attend to the details of this city's participation in the plan of food conservation. The residents, however, have already taken up a plan adopted by Santa Monica some time ago in the municipal garden scheme.

The committee, which includes Nathan Shutt, W. P. Fetheroff, C. H. Brown, William A. Gibson, D. D. Stevens and Frank J. Townsend, will attend the conference at the quarters of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce on Thursday.

"If all the vacant lots in Santa Monica were cultivated," said Mayor S. L. Berkley, "all the needs of that kind in the city would be supplied and there would be a surplus."

Thoughtfully planned entertainment provided Hotel del Coronado guests. Reservations made at 527 Spring.—[Advertisement.

Showers at Pomona.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

POMONA, April 16.—This region was visited by two good showers today. The first began last night and continued until dawn. The next began early in the morning and continued until noon. The total precipitation amounted to .33 of an inch, making .78 of an inch for the month, which is double the March rainfall. The total for the season is 17.26 inches.

BOY SCOUTS OFFER.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LINDSAY, April 16.—Seventy-five Boy Scouts have offered their services to Mayor McGregor and, through Scoutmaster W. E. Hind, have expressed their willingness to serve the city or county in any capacity necessary in case of the need for home or national defense.

Goes Toward Interior.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, April 16.—Rain, which fell last night and this morning, was quite general over the country, increasing toward the interior. Shandon and the Antelope Valley got twice as much rain as this city. Telephone reports say some snow fell in the vicinity of the Cammata ranch in the Posto country. The average rainfall was .25 of an inch.

Bakersfield Region.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BAKERSFIELD, April 16.—Rainfall today, .11 of an inch in Bakersfield, with season's total of 5.59 inches; last year about eight inches. A half-inch of rain fell today at Tejon ranch and one-fourth inch there yesterday. San Emidio reports four-tenths last night. Snow fell today in the mountains.

MEMBERHSIP CAMPAIGN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FULLERTON, April 16.—Plans were announced today for a membership campaign for the Fullerton branch of the American Red Cross Society. Saturday members of the organization will be stationed at various downtown points.

PLACENTIA GUARD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PLACENTIA, April 16.—With twenty-six names on the roster, Placentia Saturday night formed a home guard. The members are to furnish their own weapons. Fifteen automobiles have been placed at the disposal of the guard. T. L. McFadden is temporary chairman.

Wind Drives it Inland.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, April 16.—The storm over Santa Barbara county lasted only a short time. A high wind drove the rain away before it had reached above .25 of an inch. The weather continues cold and the barometer low.

Showers at Ventura.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, April 16.—Light showers fell during the night to the amount of .24 of an inch. The season's total is 19.09 inches.

In Whittier District.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WHITTIER, April 16.—The rainfall today measured .27 of an inch, making the season's total 14.66 inches as compared with 19.87 for last year and 18.51 two years ago.

TRAINED NURSE IS POMONA WAR BRIDE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

POMONA, April 16.—This city's first war bride was claimed tonight by Corp. Thomas Conners, U.S.A., aged 44, of Calexico. She was Miss Martha Hensel, aged 27. The wedding took place at the home of Carl Rutty on Alexander avenue at 8 o'clock. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Rutty. After the wedding ceremony the couple left for San Diego to which place the bridegroom expects to be transferred.

The bride is a trained nurse, who came to this city from Madison, Wis., two years ago. She first met Corp. Conners on his return to this State eighteen months ago after he had been stationed in the Philippine Islands for three years. He has been in the United States Army for about ten years. Only the immediate relatives and a few friends of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony.

WOUND PROVES FATAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA MONICA, April 16.—Robert Zinober of 1123 Seventh street, who shot himself in the stomach last night, died tonight at St. Catherine's Hospital.

Women Patriots.

UNIVERSAL SERVICE DEMAND OF D.A.R.

DAUGHTERS OF REVOLUTION IN WASHINGTON SESSION.

Organization Gives Unqualified Indorsement to Nation's Entrance into War Against Germany—Speech of French Ambassador Arouses Enthusiasm.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Patriotic demonstrations, with demand for opportunity for practical service in the war emergency, featured the opening session here today of the twenty-sixth Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Unqualified indorsement of the nation's entrance into the fight against Germany and universal military service was recorded in resolutions adopted unanimously.

Great enthusiasm was aroused in the afternoon by a speech by Ambassador Jusserand of France, who spoke with the British and Italian Ambassadors seated behind him on the stage. The Ambassador warmly praised President Wilson and declared he soon expected to see an American army in France, repaying the visit of Lafayette and Rochambeau in the Revolutionary War.

Mrs. William C. Story, the President-General, in her address, sounded the note of practical service. The speakers gave their approval to a policy of retrenchment and economy, and the suggestion of Mrs. James Hilton Lewis of Illinois, the congress voted to abandon the annual banquet.

Gen. S. M. B. Young, retired, addressed the daughters on the approval of universal service.

"Light the fires of universal military training with this great melting pot," he said, "and we will fuse the varying elements of our population and teach the world that we are a nation indeed.

The annual election of officers, which will be held Wednesday morning, will select a President-general from four candidates. They are Mrs. James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois; Mrs. George C. Squire of Minnesota; Mrs. George Bacher Guernsey of Kansas, and Mrs. John Miller Horton of New York.

More than 5200 of the daughters are attending the congress.

MEXICAN REGIMENT FOR AMERICAN ARMY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) April 16.—A full regiment of 1200 Mexicans or perhaps it may be better to say Mexican-Americans, composed of residents of Texas, Arizona and New Mexico, has been tendered the government and accepted. It will be supplied with ammunition, army officers and trained to an efficient unit for service in the army and it is thought likely the command will be assigned to duty along the Mexican border. Practically every man is a cowboy, well trained in riding and long endurance in the saddle and most of them good shots.

Thirty per cent. of the command are natives of Mexico and the seventy per cent. are natives of the United States, of Mexican parentage. At least one of their parents were Mexicans, but every one of them is a naturalized American citizen and most of them have already rendered valuable services to Uncle Sam in fighting and riding along the border and into Mexico. Many of them own farms and other property and several of them are considered wealthy in land and cattle.

While they offered their services to fight for the United States "in this or any other country," it is the opinion in army circles that the new command is eminently qualified for duty on the Mexican border being thoroughly familiar with the methods of fighting as employed by Mexicans. The men will be given the physical and other examinations for enlistment in the army and will be trained as mounted infantrymen as every man owns his own mount.

FAVORABLE REPORT ON ARMY INCREASE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The bill increasing the army General Staff, increasing machine-gun companies, providing armored motor car companies for each division, and to pay $15 monthly to dependents of enlisted men in time of war and a half-year's salary in case of their death was reported favorably today to the Senate.

LITHUANIANS ARE LOYAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—The Knights of Lithuania have sent to President Wilson, it was announced today, a resolution that sets forth the adherence of 30,000 Lithuanians in this country to the defense of the American flag.

Embracive.

STORM COVERS WIDE SECTION.

Interior Valleys Drenched More than Coast.

Light Snowfall is Reported in the Mountains.

Average is the Largest in San Diego County.

Station—	Storm.	Season.
Los Angeles	.13	14.96
Pasadena	.13	18.40
Mt. Wilson	.30	26.01
Santa Monica	.33	14.98
Venice	.33	15.81
Pomona	.33	17.26
Glendora	.72	28.00
Whittier	.27	15.66
Santa Barbara	.25	20.19
San Luis Obispo	.20	.....
Shandon	.20	.....
Ventura	.25	19.09
Riverside	.21	.877
Corona	.60	.....
Perris	.49	.....
Bakersfield	.11	5.59
Porterville	.10	11.15
Tejon Ranch	.90	.....
Lindsay	.21	11.85
San Emidio	.40	.....
Visalia	.22	12.15
Oxnard	.30	14.15
Chatsworth	.31	14.89
Santa Ana	.30	14.75
San Bernardino	.40	13.09
Redlands	.44	12.68
Oak Glen	1.00	.....
San Diego	.06	9.77
Barrett Dam	.42	18.41
El Cajon	.45	12.98
Lower Otay	.16	11.90
Morena Dam	.87	19.72
Warner Dam	.89	20.44

Covering the district from Bakersfield to San Diego, yesterday's storm brought an average of a quarter of an inch of rain at Coast points and amounts reaching up to one inch in the mountains. In Los Angeles the official measurement was .13 of an inch, making the season's total 14.96 or about five inches less than to the same date last year. No rain was reported in the San Francisco Bay section.

In San Diego county the rainfall was of greater amount than in Orange or Los Angeles counties. In some sections the measurement was close to an inch and it varied from .89 of an inch at Warner Dam to .16 of an inch at Lower Otay. At Cuyamaca Dam, eighty miles from San Diego, there were four inches of snow.

Pomona district reported a third of an inch, while at Glendora there was more than twice that amount. In the San Joaquin Valley the average was one-tenth of an inch. Portions of Antelope Valley experienced half an inch, the same as at Redlands and San Bernardino. The interior, in fact, got more of a drenching than the coast section.

DEFENSE TESTIMONY IN TRIAL OF TRACY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SEATTLE, April 16.—The defense in the murder trial of Thomas H. Tracy today introduced testimony that members of the Industrial Workers of the World were fired at by deputy sheriffs November 5 last, after they had leaped from the deck of the steamer Verona. Tracy is accused of shooting Deputy Sheriff Jefferson Beard in the battle at the Everett City dock, after the arrival there of an expedition sent from Industrial Workers of the World headquarters in Seattle, to hold street meetings in Everett in violation of a city ordinance.

Harry Young, an automobile driver, swore that when the Verona arrived he was standing near the wharf and plainly saw what happened. There was a single shot and then a volley, testified Young. The first shot apparently came from the dock, witness testified. Five men jumped off the boat and a man on the dock with a rifle fired at a man struggling in the water. Witness saw bullets splash in the water near the man's head.

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A STIFF upper lip

THE RIGHT Clothes
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Q-Ban is all ready to use. It is guaranteed to be harmless and not to injure the hair. If not entirely satisfactory to the user, return the empty package to the maker's warranty of satisfaction or your money back. Sold by Owl Drug Co., Sun Drug Co., McKay and Robinson Drug Co., and all good druggists, or send a large bottle for 50c, or send to Hessig-Ellis Drug Co., Memphis, Tenn., for "Hair Culture," illustrated, interesting booklet, sent free. Write for it today. Try Q-Ban Hair Tonic and Toilet Soap; Q-Ban Liver Pills are also; Q-Ban Depilatory for removing superfluous hair.—[Advertisement.

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Art thou stout and getting stouter?
Stop repining—cease to mourn!
Hie thee to the nearest druggist!
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II.

Arbolene will stop that evil,
Make thee normal — that's the word known.
Thou'lt forget that hungry feeling
After taking Arbolene.

III.

And the pounds away will vanish,
Waist no longer like a sausage,
Thou'lt be thankful to the maker
Of those Tablets Arbolene.

Note—This little poem was written by a literary woman of Los Angeles, Calif., as a testimonial. Tablets Arbolene. It so well and truthfully describes the virtues of this well-known antifat that the proprietors use it for advertising purposes. Facts and gratitude are here expressed with admirable rhyme and metre.

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THE CITY
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EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

To Elect Officers.

The Achsah J. Stimson Industrial School will hold its annual meeting and election of officers at the school building, No. 318 Lafayette street, Tuesday, April 24.

Relief Corps to Meet.

Bartlett-Logan Relief Corps will meet at 1 o'clock p.m. next Thursday in Patriotic Hall, No. 1816 South Figueroa street. Much good work is being accomplished at the meetings of the corps, and it is requested that all members attend.

For Japanese Children.

A musical entertainment will be given by the Inglewood Japanese Children's Home at Blanchard Hall next Friday at 7:30 o'clock p.m. There will be an address by Consul Oyama and a large number of musical selections. Moving pictures of the procession of the Mikado's coronation also are on the programme.

Told of Our Aqueduct.

J. B. Lippincott returned yesterday from a trip to Salt Lake City, where he was the speaker before the annual meeting of the Utah section of the American Society of Civil Engineers. His subject was "The Los Angeles Aqueduct," and the address was illustrated with numerous lantern slides and motion pictures.

Fuel Men Coming Here.

The ten Los Angeles delegates to the California Fuel Dealers Protective Association's annual convention at Oakland returned yesterday with the announcement that the next convention will be held in this city. The chief subject of discussion was how to get sufficient coal here next winter in the face of a shortage of cars and scarcity of men. W. J. Thomas, president of the Southern California Association, was re-elected director. C. A. Coffman is secretary of the local association.

Elks to Anaheim.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the institution of the new lodge of Elks at Anaheim this evening. A special train will leave over the Santa Fe at 7 p.m., bearing members of the local lodge of Elks. In addition to this, a special train will be run from Pasadena to carry members of the antlered herd from that city. The institution ceremonies will be in charge of District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler H. W. Brown, assisted by prominent Elks from the lodges of Southern California. The Los Angeles delegation will be accompanied by the band and drill corps and it is expected that fully 1000 members of No. 99 will attend.

In Earnest.

VOTES FOR WOMEN IS THEIR APPEAL.

NATIONAL ORGANIZERS HERE TO AID CAMPAIGN.

Urge All Women to Send to President Wilson Their Demands that He Confer the Franchise Upon Them Throughout Entire United States.

"Votes for Women" is the plea which Miss Margery Gibson Ross of Cody, Wyo., and Miss Margaret Fay Whittemore of Detroit, national organizers of the National Woman's Party, are urging that women all over the United States send to President Wilson at this particular moment.

"We urge it as a war measure," said these women last night. "We want the President to act, conferring the franchise upon us, just as he has conferred it upon the Porto Ricans. We want to be citizens in this stressful time, in the full sense of the word, and we want all the rights of citizenship."

Misses Ross and Whittemore are in Southern California to aid in a general campaign to advance the sentiment for national woman's suffrage, and will spend the remainder of the month here. A meeting of the local committee of the National Woman's Party is called for 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Berthold Baruch, No. 1407 South Figueroa street. The national organizers will speak at this meeting. They will also hold a woman's mass meeting in Pasadena, and will then go to San Diego. Later they will visit other larger cities and towns of Southern California. On May 1 they are to be given a reception and luncheon in San Francisco by the suffragists there. They will then proceed on a general tour of the Pacific Coast States in the interest of national suffrage.

They travel in a Ford automobile, especially decorated with the purple, white and gold of the suffrage colors, and Miss Whittemore is the chauffeur. They expect to cover several thousand miles in this auto during the present tour.

PLEADS GUILTY.

Says He Made Counterfeit Money; Gets His Sentence.

John Kly, a Greek, pleaded guilty to counterfeiting in Judge Bledsoe's court, yesterday, and was sentenced to five years in the McNeil Island Penitentiary.

Kly said he found that it did not pay to make the silver halves and quarters, and that he spent four days in turning out seven half dollars. He got his plating outfit to make the $5 and $10 pieces from a Cincinnati firm. George W. Hazen, special agent of the United States Treasury Department, said the dies and molds found in Kly's home in Bakersfield were the best he had ever seen. It is claimed that Kly made the bogus coin in order to find favor with a cabaret singer in Bakersfield.

Owensmouth Section.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OWENSMOUTH, April 16.—Light showers in the Owensmouth, Chatsworth and Calabasas districts added one-third of an inch of rain, bringing the season's total here up to 14.53 inches, as compared with 17.79 for the same period last season.

Warm and Steady.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

REDLANDS, April 16.—A big rain started early this morning and continued through most of the day. It was a warm, steady rain. Oak Glen, Seven Oaks and Mill Creek report more than an inch of rain for the storm. The total here was .46, making 12.68 for the season as against 17.49 last season.

In Tears.

CHILD'S STORY MOVES BARRETT

Sits in His Lap and Tells of Burning Her Family.

Strange Incident as the Last Juror is Chosen.

Evidence to Begin Today in the Murder Case.

Four o'clock yesterday afternoon, and the thirteenth juror for the trial of Benton L. Barrett, charged with having slain and burned the bodies of his wife and step-son, was undergoing examination by the cautious attorneys. The wires strung high above the attorneys' table to remove the vibration in the room, were thrumming. Attorney Ona Morton's voice was booming inquiries. Sharp, impatient objections came from Asa Keyes, deputy District Attorney. The exhausting labor of selecting a jury was nearly at an end.

The last man to be examined was James Woodworth, an elderly man of the type of Benton L. Barrett, wearing his beard in the same manner, chin clean, hair of his moustache and burnsides neatly roached.

Dist-Atty. Woolwine, tall, slender, quick-moving, with a patient and tolerant attitude for all, entered the courtroom and took a seat beside his deputies to speed up the proceedings. Benton L. Barrett sat back in his chair, placing finger to thumb, thumb to finger, and then finger to thumb, in an endless and non-progressive activity.

THIRTEENTH JUROR.

Attorney Morton placed aside an emptied glass of water, punished his chair by sitting far back, and said with syncopated eloquence: Mistah Woodworth, is your mind in such a condition as you would wish the minds of twelve jurors who were to try your father if he were in Mr. Barrett's position?"

Mr. Woodworth thought. His mind almost could be seen to dart out and leap along the trails of the past, questing if there was there some experience that should make him confess he was not a juror he would like to have try his father for murder.

Superior Judge Willis, presiding in the case, thoughtfully adjusted a new pen to the holder, saluted the new writing point with a pressure of the lips, and proceeded with his writing, but for a while leaning a thoughtful gaze against the thirteenth juror, a man useless but for an emergency.

Then one of the big swinging doors opening upon the hall opened slowly. A bonnet of lace peeped in, then a baby face, and finally the fluffy little body squeezed through.

Two years old and feminine came swaggering up the aisle, looked with kindly disdain at the spectators ranked alongside, and toddled on to the door, leading to the area of trial. She tried to push the swinging gate open. It squeaked protestingly, for such haughty hands push it so often, with a hard-flung boastful banging. But the little girl laughed to hear it squeak and pushed the harder.

REPRIMANDS PRISONER.

Suddenly the gate gave way, and mischievously swung wide, and the unsuspecting little girl fell within, fell face forward, a full body length upon the carpet of the courtroom.

Barrett, anxious for diversions, had been watching. As the infant fell he leaped to his feet and reached forward. Instantly Martin Aguirre, bailiff in the courtroom and responsible for the custody of the prisoner, leaped over the table.

"Get back, there!" he shouted, seizing Barrett by the arm, "get back there. Remember, you are a prisoner in this court, accused of burning your wife and step-son. Never leave your seat like that again."

Despite his characteristic courtesy he shoved the prisoner into his chair.

Barrett sat back. And slowly large tears formed in his eyes. Mr. Woolwine, alert to the pain of others, jumped to the child's rescue. He held her in his arms, and brushed the dust from her clothes. Quietly he soothed her, tidied her hair, talked father-talk with her. Then he saw Barrett.

TELLS HER TALE.

"Old fellow," he said, "do you want to hold her?"

Barrett stretched his arms. Within them Dist.-Atty. Woolwine placed the little girl. She snuggled against the breast of the old man. Idly she pulled his whiskers, looking with great interest at his glasses. Then she saw the tears on his cheeks.

"You cry, too?" she inquired. "Baby cries. She cries when mamma 'panks her. This morning mamma 'panks her, hard, too. I took my dolls, my mamma doll and my little boy doll. I got mad at them 'cause they wasn't nice and I didn't like 'em any more. I took 'em into the back yard, and I hit 'em with a stick, I did, and I burned 'em, wiv matches I burned 'em, until they were all gone. And mamma 'panked me."

Her mouth was close to the old prisoner's ear. His throat leaped convulsively.

And then Attorney Morton shouted: "Defense passes." And the prosecution accepted. And the jury for the trial of the elderly Santa Monican was complete. Evidence will begin today.

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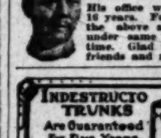

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MARCH, 1917.	Copies.
March 1	67,647
March 2	68,930
March 3	68,911
March 4 (Sunday)	114,420
March 5	68,570
March 6	66,844
March 7	66,514
March 8	66,514
March 9	66,425
March 10	66,882
March 11 (Sunday)	114,710
March 12	66,450
March 13	66,527
March 14	66,495
March 15	66,532
March 16	66,700
March 17	66,738
March 18 (Sunday)	114,690
March 19	66,670
March 20	66,641
March 21	66,490
March 22	66,720
March 23	66,290
March 24	66,906
March 25 (Sunday)	113,270
March 26	66,610
March 27	66,670
March 28	66,810
March 29	66,593
March 30	67,600
March 31	67,050
Average for every day of March	72,777
Sunday only, average for March	114,108
Average every day gain over March, 1916	1,961
Average Sunday only gain over March 1916	10,950

HARRY CHANDLER,
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of April, 1917.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 16.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.64; at 5 p.m., 29.70. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 44 deg. and 53 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 91 per cent.; 5 p.m., 72 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 17 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 18 miles. Highest temperature, 58 deg.; lowest, 42 deg. Rainfall for season, 14.98 inches; last season, 19.80 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The eastern half of the country is under the influence of a high-pressure area, and the western portion is dominated by an area of low pressure central over the southwestern portion. Fair weather is general in the former region, and cloudy, windy weather with occasional precipitation characterizes the weather during the past twenty-four hours over the Pacific States from Seattle to San Diego. Precipitation in Southern California averaged about a quarter of an inch, the greatest amounts falling on the higher levels in the eastern portion. Indications are favorable for a continuance of showers in Los Angeles and vicinity during the ensuing thirty-six hours.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum temperatures as reported during the past twenty-four hours: Mt. Wilson, 37 deg.; Pasadena, 39; Redlands, 40; Riverside, 44; Santa Barbara, 45; San Bernardino, 40 deg.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Showers Tuesday; southerly winds.

For Southern California: Showers Tuesday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity: Unsettled weather Tuesday; light westerly winds.

Sacramento and Santa Clara valleys: Unsettled weather Tuesday; freezing temperature in the morning; light northerly wind.

San Joaquin Valley: Unsettled weather Tuesday; light westerly wind.

Southern California: Unsettled weather Tuesday; probably showers; light southwest wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Forecast for Arizona: Tuesday, rain in south, snow in north portion; somewhat warmer; Wednesday, probably fair and warmer.

YUMA (Ariz.) April 16. — [Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 17.7 feet; discharge, 14,300 second-feet.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ALKINS—SHEPHERD, Bollie A. Alkins, 22; Mary Shepherd, 22.
ANDERSON—DONALD, Carl Anderson, 21; Isabel Donald, 21.
ANDERSON—HUTCHINS, William H. Anderson, 28; Dorothy A. Hutchins, 22.
BAKER—FITCHER, Ernest R. Baker, 26; Flora M. Fitcher, 20.
BENNETT—HELDMAN, Vivian M. Bennett, 22; Helen C. Heldman, 22.
BIELZ—NEWSUM, Louis H. Bielz, 29; Sallie P. Newsum, 28.
BOYER—ESCALLE, Joseph Boyer, 22; Leona C. M. Escalle, 22.
BRUNSO—BOTTILLER, Emil R. Bruno, 20; Mary J. Bottiller, 20.
CHALDER—GONAHLHARDOU, Joseph Chalder, 29; Ida E. Gonahlhardou, 20.
CONNORS—HENSEL, Thomas J. Connors, 44; Mary C. Hensel, 27.
DAVIS—CONSTANTINE, Earl F. Davis, 44; Ann G. Constantine, 24.
ELLIOTT—BUCHANAN, Harry A. Elliott, 30; Edith F. Buchanan, 29.
FARLEY—ROGERS, Walter L. Farley, 35; Edna M. Rogers, 28.
FIELDS—JORDAN, Fielding F. Fields, 29; Millicent Jordan, 22.
FLANDRADT—BEALE, Max Flandradt, 21; Nellie G. Beale, 19.
GANN—GANN, William H. Gann, 25; Frances M. Diaz, 23.
GIBBS—MAIER, Irving P. Gibbs, 40; Marie Maier, 28.
GRAHAM—VAN BUSKIRK, Charles A. Graham, 25; Florence N. Van Buskirk, 25.
GRET—ROHRBACHER, Elmer Gret, 45; Anabel H. Rohrbacher, 38.
GROUT—ROSSITER, Paul R. Grout, 23; Vivian B. Rossiter, 18.
HINCKLEY—SCHLECHT, Harold A. Hinckley, 22; Martha L. Schlecht, 23.

MARRIAGES.

The following marriages were reported yesterday. Name and age given.

JANEWAY—SLATT, [illegible]
KAGELAR—[illegible]
KAIN—[illegible]
KELSO—GRAYSON, [illegible]
LEMANO—[illegible]
LUDDEN—[illegible]
LYNCH—MARLOW, [illegible]
McCLIMAN—[illegible]
McELVAIN—[illegible]
O'BRIEN—STUCKEY, [illegible]
ROSSPOTH—[illegible]
ROSSELLE—[illegible]
SAMS—[illegible]
SCHWARZKOPF—[illegible]
SHAW—[illegible]
STARKEY—[illegible]
TAMPLE—[illegible]
THAYER—[illegible]
WEST—[illegible]
WILSON—[illegible]
WOOLFORD—[illegible]

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, parents and location:

BARHAM, Mr. and Mrs. Albert, April 14, 2123½ Pacific street, girl.
BELLER, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 12, Hospital, girl.
BROOKS, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, 2123½ Pacific street, girl.
DAWSON, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, North Main street, girl.
DANIELS, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 12, Hospital, girl.
HASKIN, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 12, Cottage, girl.
HELANET, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 12, Hospital, boy.
HERRING, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, Hospital, girl.
HERRON, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, Methodist Hospital, girl.
HOLLAND, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, Main street, girl.
HOLLIS, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, Hospital, girl.
JONES, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, Hospital, girl.
LANDERSON, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, Hospital, girl.
LINK, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 13, Main street, girl.
FRICH, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 12, Hospital, girl.
SLOTTERBECK, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], April 12, 619 Kohler street, girl.

DIVORCE SUITS.

DIETRA—[illegible]
HEINEMANN, Charles E. vs. [illegible]
HENDERSON, Gertrude E. vs. [illegible]
McKINNEY, Frances Ann vs. [illegible]
MOYER, Henrietta R. vs. [illegible]
PLUMB, James Lester vs. [illegible]
ROYBARG, Rose vs. [illegible]
TAKAHASHI, Kaku against [illegible]
WIBSON, Ellen Louise vs. [illegible]

OFFICIAL DEATHS.

Names and places of death:

BRANN, Gertrude L., Los Angeles
DAINTON, Rastrel, Los Angeles
KILLEBREW, Mary, Los Angeles
LA MAY, Louis, Los Angeles
LETHER, Laura A., Los Angeles
MACFARLANE, Alexander, Los Angeles
MATHEWS, William, Los Angeles
MEADE, Benjamin, Los Angeles
WILLIAMS, Alexander, Los Angeles
WRIGHT, Charles W., Los Angeles

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

BRANUM, At Santa Monica, Cal., April 15, Mrs. F. Branum, aged 50 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 1724 Idaho street, Santa Monica, Wednesday, April 18, at 2:30 p.m. Interment Inglewood Park Cemetery.

CALDWELL, At No. 121 East 3rd street, April 15, Henry Caldwell, aged 78 years. Mr. Caldwell and father of Mrs. Nee York. Services from Jones' Undertaking Parlors at 2:30 p.m. Los Angeles street, between 1st and 2nd streets, Interment private.

CLAYSON, April 16, 1917, Mrs. [illegible], Remains at parlors of [illegible]

CUMMAGE, Husband of widow of Leonard Cummage, from the chapel of [illegible]

EDWARDS, April 16, Catherine Edwards, aged 54 years, widow of the late [illegible]

HAYDEN, In this city, Mrs. [illegible], aged 84 years, widow of the late [illegible]. Funeral Tuesday, the 17th inst., at 2 p.m., from the chapel of [illegible]. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

KELLEY, April 15, Alonzo Pacific, aged 70 years. Services this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the chapel of [illegible]. Interment private.

LA MAY, In this city, April 15, [illegible]. Funeral from the residence of [illegible]. Services private. Interment at Forest Lawn cemetery.

LAURIE, Theodore, K. I. O. O. F., brother of Mrs. C. L. Wood, aged 72 years. Funeral services at the residence, [illegible]. Interment, Rosedale.

LEVY, In this city, June 15, 1916, Alfredo, infant son of Jeanette, a native of Peru. Funeral and interment private.

LUTHER, At her home, No. 827 South Chicago street, April 14, 1917, Mrs. [illegible], aged 67 years. Funeral services at the residence, Monday, April 16, at 2 p.m. Interment at Luther, Iowa.

MAIER, April 14, at family residence, 1712 Fred Maier and Miss Emma Maier, aged 21 and 19 years, respectively. Funeral services at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 17, at the residence of the bride. Interment private.

McKEE, At his home, No. 1000 Grove, April 14, 1917, Robert McKee, aged 76 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence of A. D. Pierce & Co., 1000 Grove street, Monday, April 16, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

MERRILL, April 15, 1917, Mrs. [illegible], aged 67 years. Funeral services will be held at the family residence, 1724 Idaho street, Santa Monica, at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 17.

MONSERRO, April 16, 1917, Mrs. [illegible], Remains at the chapel of [illegible]

MORGAN, Funeral services will be held at the residence of [illegible]

PALMER, At Pasadena, Cal., April 15, Mary A. Palmer, aged 70 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 1724 Madison avenue, Pasadena, Tuesday, April 17, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

PARCHER, At the residence of Edwin C. Parcher, 1000 Grove street, April 16, 1917, Mrs. [illegible], aged 70 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence of Pierce Bros. & Co., 1000 Grove street, Wednesday, April 18, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

POLLARD, April 14, Mrs. [illegible], Services will be held at the residence of [illegible]

RAMSDALL, At No. 1750 East 7th street, April 15, 1917, Mrs. T. Ramsdall, aged 70 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 1750 East 7th street, Tuesday, April 17, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

ROCK, At No. 1822 West Pico street, April 14, William A. Rock, a native of Illinois, aged 58 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence, 1822 West Pico street, Tuesday, April 17, at 2:30 p.m. Interment private.

SIMMONS, April 16, 1917, Mrs. [illegible], aged 55 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence, [illegible]

SINCLER, Annie Porter, Mrs. [illegible], Interment, [illegible]

M. SINCLER, [illegible]

WELCH, April 14, at the residence, 5th Welch, aged 74 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence of Edwards Cemetery.

WILSON, Helen L., a native of Illinois, aged 4 months. Funeral services will be held at the residence of [illegible]

WRIGHT, In Los Angeles, April 15, 1917, Mrs. [illegible], aged 70 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence of [illegible]

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...Sergeant Sidney Hickok ...the investigation under the ...of Lieutenant of Detectives ...Home, and was the first person to direct suspicion to the man now under a cloud. So important is this employee of the county, it was decided that a thorough recheck should be made by an independent investigator. This corroboration of evidence was completed yesterday.

The $10,000 bag of gold disappeared from the County Treasurer's office during February. On the first of March, according to the legal provisions, the committee made its monthly count of the treasure in the vault. This committee is composed of Auditor Lewis, Deputy District Attorney George Cryer and Chairman Hamilton of the Board of Supervisors.

There should have been seventy sacks, each containing $10,000, and when the count was completed there were but sixty-nine. The disappearance of the gold was kept secret for nearly two weeks until repeated recounts could be made. Then County Treasurer John Hunt and his chief deputy, William H. Slater, subscribed the deficit, $5000 each, from their private resources, so the county lost nothing. Neither man would call upon his bondsmen.

PROGRAMME OF DEFENSE WORK.

Drastic Change is Schedule for State Convention of Club Women.

Word from San Francisco yesterday announced a sweeping reorganization of the programme for the State convention of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, to convene in Pasadena May 1, the changes to subordinate everything to the formulation of the plans, previously told in The Times, of the State's club women to aid California and the nation in the war.

Politics and routine features, even many of the more important miscellaneous topics of discussion are to be reduced to a minimum. Instead the ablest speakers who can be obtained on such short notice will tell the club women how they can assist in conserving and increasing food supplies, in Red Cross work, in recruiting and in every other way in which women can be useful.

Precaution.

ORDER SEIZURE OF EXPLOSIVES.

Half Ton of German-owned Dynamite Sought.

Government Tells Riverside Sheriff to Get It.

Suspect is Arrested at the Bear Valley Dam.

The Federal government yesterday instructed Sheriff Wilson of Riverside county, to seize half a ton of dynamite and several hundred pounds of black powder that is stored in the powder houses of a German-owned mine near Winchester, thirty-five miles from Riverside.

Sheriff Wilson admitted last night that he had received the orders but stated that he would not take definite action until he received more detailed instructions, due to arrive at his offices this morning. He will then go to Winchester with a squad of deputies and take over the combustibles. Although no definite instructions as to what is to be done with the dynamite and powder have as yet been issued, Sheriff Wilson believes that it will be stored at some designated spot, with armed deputy sheriffs guarding it.

Although the Federal authorities have no reason to be apprehensive regarding the use to which the explosives might be put to, the proximity of so much dynamite and powder, added to the discovery that it is controlled by German interests, compels them to take this precautionary measure.

The action taken is along lines similar to the disarming of Germans and Austrians, now being done by the police and Sheriffs all over the country in accord with orders issued by the Attorney-General.

Arrested when he was attempting to obtain information about the size and construction of the Bear Valley Dam, while posing as a government officer, George Kamp, a well-dressed, affable stranger, was arrested yesterday by Federal officers. His antecedents will be investigated thoroughly today, as his peculiar actions have caused government men to believe he may be an alien agent.

Kamp refused to explain his actions other than stating he had posed as a government secret agent because he expected this would enable him to obtain the information he wanted expeditiously, and he desired to leave at once for Yuma. Just why he wanted the information he would not say.

Fiendish.

GIRL IS VICTIM OF BOGUS MILLIONAIRE.

LURED TO ELABORATE PLANT AND ATTACKED.

After Having Set Stage for Crime with Great Pains He Telephones for a "Pretty Stenographer," Gets Her in His Power and Abuses Her—She Bites Him Severely.

An elaborate decoy of a furnished mansion, two maids and references from a downtown bank were used to lure a pretty 17-year-old stenographer into a vacant residence at No. 840 South Burlington avenue late yesterday afternoon, where she was brutally attacked by an unknown man posing as a millionaire.

The young woman, whose name is withheld by the police, is said to be the daughter of one of the officials of a local business college. About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a man giving the name of Mr. Walters telephoned to the college for the services of any young and pretty stenographer, saying he had some dictation for her.

The 17-year-old girl, a student, was sent to the address. "Mr Walters" told the girl he was a retired manufacturer. He sent her upstairs and told her to wait for him. In a few minutes, he appeared, opened the door to a bedroom, seized her and dragged her inside. Then he attacked her, threatening to kill her if she made any outcry.

When the young woman was released, bleeding from his brutal treatment, she ran to the home of relatives who lived in the neighborhood and told her story. The police were notified and Detectives Shy and Hurt rushed the young woman to the Receiving Hospital, hysterical and in a critical condition.

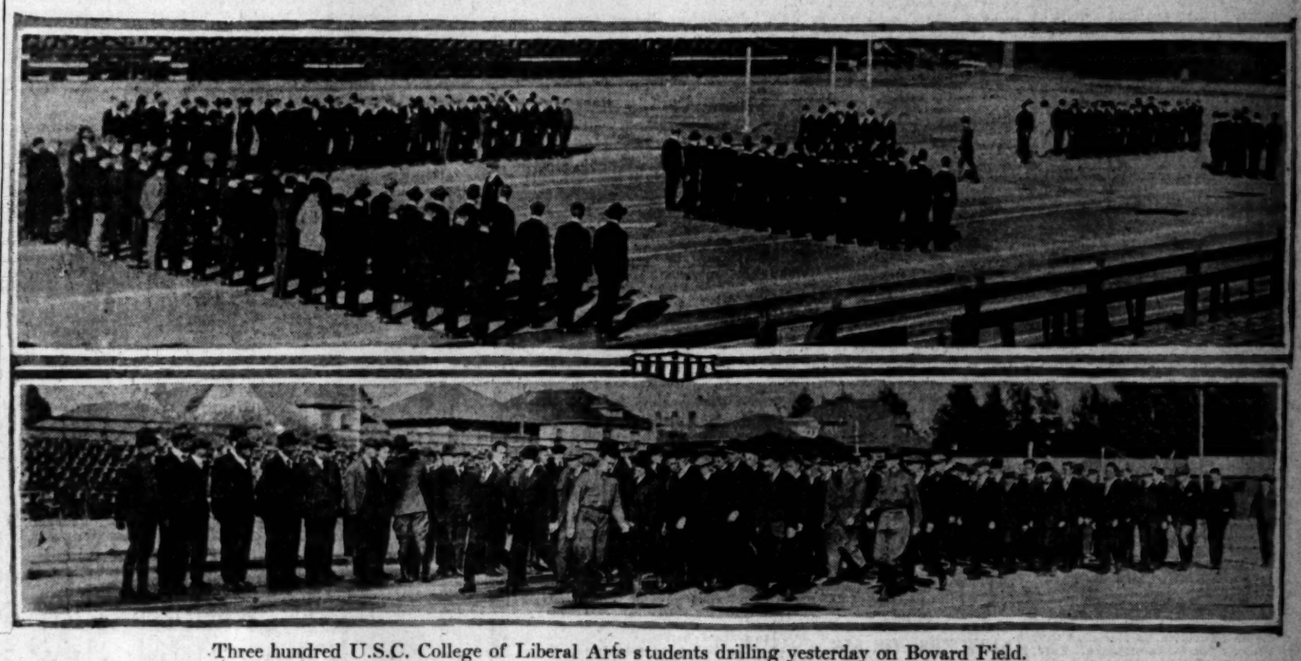
The detectives learned that "Walters" had applied to C. H. Kinucan, owner of the house, for its rental, saying his wife would appear today with a deposit. Then in the presence of Kinucan he applied to an employment agency for two maids. When they arrived he instructed them to shift the furniture around. The piano was also removed, as he announced he had a player piano of his own.

The only clews the detectives have to work on the case is a scar inflicted on the assailant's left cheek where the girl bit him severely. He is described as being 30 years old, 5 feet 10 inches tall, weighing 160 pounds, blonde hair, small blue eyes well dressed.

WAR CORRESPONDENT SPEAKS.

Charles Lapworth, war correspondent, author and editor of the Los Angeles Graphic, will speak before the Jovian Electric League at its luncheon at noon tomorrow in Jahnke's Tavern on "A Zeppelin Night in a London Newspaper Office." Musical selections will be rendered. Visitors who are delegates to the National Electric Light Association convention at Riverside will be in attendance.

Southern California College Men Take Lead in Martial Preparation.



Three hundred U.S.C. College of Liberal Arts students drilling yesterday on Bovard Field.

Right Spirit.

BARS DOWN TO MARTIAL TRAINING IN SCHOOLS.

MILITARY training in all high schools of the city, without the red tape of petitions and individual permission, was provided for by unanimous vote of the Board of Education at its meeting last night.

The members formerly opposed to such a measure declared they believed "the present situation calls for united support of universal training," as the view was expressed by Mrs. Waters, formerly leader of the members who were hostile to martial instruction. President Bordwell was the only member absent.

The resolution as passed by the board is copied after the act of the California Legislature entitled: "An act to provide for the organization, control and equipment of high school cadet companies, and for the promotion of rifle practice therein, and appropriating the sum of $5000 therefor."

Application blanks for enlistment in the companies of cadets have been prepared by Maj. A. J. Copp, Jr., of the board, and sent to the principals of the various high schools. Any school where a company is to be formed must have at least forty male pupils 16 years old or over. Each company is to be composed of forty members.

The training is to be conducted by the students themselves and the teachers, unless some army officer volunteers to do it.

The principals of the schools shall have direct supervision over the companies thus formed and shall provide regulations for the moral, educational and physical welfare of the cadets.

In some of the high schools, companies have already been formed. Appeals of the Hollywood and Manual Arts schools for the sanction of the Board of Education led directly to the resolution adopted last night.

Voters' Verdict Awaited.

EX-COUNCILMAN TOPHAM ENDS FIGHT FOR SEAT.

SATISFIED that the voters at the primaries on May 1 will vindicate him, John Topham, recently deposed from the City Council as the result of a technical violation of the charter, yesterday decided he will make no further attempt to secure a rehearing of his case. This means the Council cannot delay the appointment of his successor, who may be named today.

Mr. Topham said he is willing to abide by the ruling of the Appellate Court, which decided against his application for a rehearing. "I am sure the people will vindicate me, and I can see no reason for carrying the case to the Supreme Court," he said.

Mr. Topham was convicted of malfeasance in office as a result of having assisted in the creation of an ordinance which compels master plumbers to give bond to the city and then permitting a company in which he is interested to sell the bonds. Since the conviction, many of the deposed Councilman's friends have assured him of their confidence in him and their willingness to support him if he would run for re-election.

There are more than a score of applicants for Mr. Topham's seat in the Council. The members refused to make the appointment upon the ground that the position could not be declared legally vacant until all the courts had passed upon the case. Now that there will be no more litigation, the duty of the Council is said to be clear.

Among possible appointees is Richmond P. Benton, a stalwart Republican, who is a candidate for nomination at the primaries. It is said he has an excellent chance to land the plum.

City Attorney Stephens ruled that the Council must fill the vacancy within a reasonable time, and designated the latter as three weeks. It has been more than six weeks since Mr. Topham was deposed, and it is believed the vacancy now will be filled at once.

Remarkable.

FORTUNE LOST THROUGH PECULIAR TECHNICALITY.

HOLDING that the mere statement of William J. Fisher that he had deeded four valuable lots on Seventh street to his sister, Harriet A. Fisher, did not constitute delivery of the property, although the deed was found in the brother's effects after his death, the State Supreme Court yesterday reversed the judgment of Superior Judge Hewitt in the action of the sister against L. D. Oliver, administrator of the estate. The property involved is said to be worth $100,000.

It was shown by the evidence that the deceased told his sister that he had deeded the lots to her, and that he had repeated the statement to his brother, Charles W. Fisher, but neither had ever seen the instrument. However, he delivered a package to the brother purporting to contain the deed just before he was operated on in a local hospital. But the decedent recovered from the operation and the package was returned to him.

Later on he mortgaged the property in question to the German-American Trust Company of Los Angeles for $20,000, making an affidavit at the time that he was the sole owner of the lots.

The sister lives in New York, and it was shown that on several occasions he had said that he intended caring for her. But under the decision of the court she gets nothing, the holding being that there was no legal delivery of the deed or of the title to the property.

Trouble.

SUED BY PAINTER.

Wealthy Salt Lake People, who are to Reside Here, Defendants in Action Linked with Color Likeness; Bill Unpaid, Artist Declares.

Mrs. Susanna Holmes and her husband, Edwin Frances Holmes, were made defendants by Albert Salzbrenner, a portrait painter, yesterday for $2500, which he estimates to be the value of his services in painting a portrait of Mrs. Holmes. He alleges he was commissioned by Mrs. Holmes to make the likeness and that he executed the commission, even to the extent of enclosing the picture in a frame and shadow box, the price of which was $140.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes are about to give up their palatial residence in Salt Lake and make Los Angeles their home. For many years it has been their custom to pass the winter months in this city. They plan to build a $250,000 residence on Wilshire Boulevard, just west of the Windsor Square and Fremont Place tracts, on four acres of the highest ground in that section of the city.

Patriotism.

STUDENTS DRILL ON UNIVERSITY CAMPUS.

HUNDREDS ANSWER THE CALL AT U.S.C.

Local Institution One of First to Respond to War Department's Appeal to Prepare Officers. President Bovard Joins Ranks and Girls Cheer from Bleachers.

For the first time in the history of the University of Southern California its students gathered on the campus yesterday for military drill. It is one of the first institutions of the kind in the country to thus respond to the appeal of the War Department to prepare its students as far as possible for work as officers in the regular army later. Conspicuous in the ranks on Bovard Field yesterday was President George F. Bovard himself. About 300 students from the College of Liberal Arts took part the first day.

Half of the students who reported have had military training before, a few in the regular army some in the National Guard and others in military academies, according to their leader. The other half at first presented a tangled mass whose knowledge of geometric curves and straight lines was plainly left inside the college halls. But there was everywhere the spirit of patriotism, and under the direction of Military Director W. R. La Porte their chatter and careless pose gave way to military attention and erectness.

At the end of an hour's drilling every student on the field was in step and the various formations were executed with precision.

Mr. La Porte was delegated to the university by the State for the training of the students. The dean of the university has been advised by the War Department to discourage enlistment at this time, but he was asked to facilitate training until the call is issued. Four capable assistants are with Mr. La Porte on the field from the student body. They are U. H. Roberson, W. J. Dallas, H. Hughes and A. J. Will.

The next drill will be held Wednesday afternoon, when the students of the professional schools of the university will join, and begin-

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SUBMARINES TO USE CITY PIER.

Secretary Daniels Accepts Offer of Municipality of Local Base.

Municipal Pier, No. 1, in the outer harbor has been formally accepted by the Navy Department as headquarters for the Coast torpedo force, including submarines and destroyers. President Gordon of the Harbor Commission has received a letter of acceptance from Secretary of the Navy Daniels. In part, this says:

"The action of the city of Los Angeles will be of the greatest assistance to the United States at this time and is particularly gratifying as an example of the spirit of the nation. The commander of the torpedo force will be authorized to confer with you for the purpose of arranging further details."

The proffer of the pier was made a week ago, when it was learned that the torpedo-boats were in need of a local repair base. The immense shed and warehouse will supply more than sufficient room for the needs of the vessels.

"Undue Influence."

HEIRS-AT-LAW ATTACK LEGACY TO SECRETARY.

A LARGE sum in cash and securities is at stake in the suit brought by Robert L. Adams, as executor of the estate of Sarah E. Adams, and on trial before Judge Hewitt yesterday. The money was destined for Miss Annie L. Morrison, secretary and companion to Miss Adams. But on the alleged ground that she unduly influenced Miss Adams and that the bequest was without consideration, the court is asked to decree the cash and securities belong to the estate and should come under the distribution to the heirs-at-law.

On the stand yesterday Miss Morrison testified she went into the home of Miss Adams as a boarder in 1909. She said she came from the East and was apparently an invalid. Subsequently she recovered and was expecting to return to her home, but remained with Miss Adams when the latter told her it would be worth her while to do so.

Miss Adams later made a will, giving Miss Morrison one-fourth of her property, which at that time was valued at $60,000. The will was subsequently changed, and Miss Adams agreed to give Miss Morrison the equivalent of the value of the bequest during her lifetime. Consequently Miss Morrison received $2900 in cash and securities valued at $12,100.

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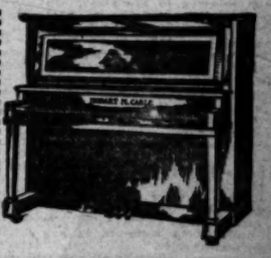

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Officials and Citizens Talk Over Home Defense.

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The Los Angeles Home Guard is not to be used as a hiding place by men eligible for service in the various branches of regular military establishment.

Nor are the citizens of Los Angeles to be needlessly frightened over the matter of adequate defense during the present war. There is a smaller foreign population and a smaller group of anti-government individuals in this community than in any other city of its size in the United States.

These things and numerous others were discussed yesterday by a large delegation of prominent citizens, who met with Mayor Woodman and Chief of Police Butler.

Banks, railroads, public utility corporations, the Chamber of Commerce, Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, Hotel Men's Association and numerous other organizations were represented. Stoddard Jess, Jonathan S. Mitchell, Paul Shoup, Capt. John D. Fredericks and several other men spoke.

NO FLUBDUB WANTED.

It was suggested that the matter of home protection be placed in the hands of a special commission. This was not favorably received, the majority favoring a guard built about the police department as a nucleus.

"Whatever is done along the lines of special protection should be done in a systematic, military manner, without flourish or trumpets or the interruption of business," said Mr. Mitchell, who opposed the idea of closing the stores Saturday afternoon for the purpose of making a Home Guard demonstration.

It was Capt. Fredericks who brought out the fact that many men are registering for Home Guard duty who should really be joining the regular army and navy. Such enlistments in the local defense organization are not to be accepted, according to the almost unanimous decision of those at the gathering.

Paul Shoup of the Pacific Electric Railway advanced the plan of making all large corporations drill their men regularly, in order that in time of stress these could be quickly called into service. Fred L. Baker of the Baker Iron Works and the Automobile Club of Southern California seconded such a suggestion and declared there has already been considerable damage done Los Angeles by talk of an invasion from across the border, an absolutely ridiculous supposition.

CO-OPERATION PLAN.

Representing the State Defense Council, Dr. Norman Bridge declared it is the intention of the State organization to work through the various Home Guard groups to secure complete organization.

At the conclusion of the conference it was decided to name a committee to have complete charge of the Home Guard programme. This committee consists of Mayor Woodman, Chief of Police Butler and Capt. Fredericks.

Chief Butler was authorized to go ahead with the development of the guard as he had originally started it, and to bring the body up to a commensurate footing to meet all emergencies. The Chief and the committee will report at a conference later in the week.

TO PAY FIGHTERS.

Council Committee will Recommend Measure Affecting Recruits.

The Finance Committee of the City Council will today recommend that all city employees joining the colors be given part pay while at the front or in enlistment. The amount of this pay is to be the difference between the salary received while locally employed and the amount received in the army. In other words, the man who has held a position paying $100 and accepts an army job at $25 will be given $65 by the city during his stay with the army.

Members of the committee who yesterday discussed the matter held the opinion that it would cost the taxpayers approximately $100,000 to take such a step.

SUCCEEDS GLASSFORD.

After a visit at the Hotel Clark for several days, Cal. A. L. Dade, U.S.A., has left for San Diego to succeed Col. Glassford of the Signal and Aviation Corps. Col. Dade will probably be stationed at San Diego permanently.

WHERE TO GO TO ENLIST.

Central Recruiting Station is Located at Fourth Street and Broadway.

Central recruiting headquarters are now located at Fourth street and Broadway in the room formerly occupied by the Security National Bank. Enlistments in any branch of the service are received there. All able-bodied male citizens between the ages of 18 and 45 are eligible.

Sergeants representing the Seventh California Infantry, Coast Artillery, Battery A, California Field Artillery, Engineering Corps, Cavalry, Machine Gun Company, Hospital Corps, Naval Militia Motor Reserve, Ambulance Corps, United States Marines, United States Army and Navy, United States Army and Officers' Reserve Training Corps, are ready to receive your name there. Motor service is provided to carry recruits to the regimental headquarters at the Armory.

Other recruiting stations are located as follows: United States Army, San Fernando Building; United States Navy, Union Oil Building, second floor; United States Marine Corps, Central Building, second floor; Naval Militia, Sixth and Main streets, ground floor, Pacific Electric Building; Naval Coast Defense Reserve, 1211 Citizens' National Bank Building.

Chance.

OFFICERS FOR AIR SERVICE WANTED.

NOW'S TIME TO ENROLL FOR TRAINING CAMPS.

Two Field Schools will be Conducted in Co-operation with Government Plant on North Island—Specially Qualified Men Only are Eligible.

A promising opportunity to secure commissions in the reserve section of the Aviation Corps is offered to men who complete the course to be provided at training camps on North Island that will be under the direct control of representatives of the Aero Club of America.

Applications for admission to the proposed camps may be filed between 1:30 and 5 o'clock daily at No. 749 South Spring street by men especially trained, educated or fitted for aviation work. Only those are eligible who have had previous military training, or who have special knowledge of motors, airplanes, radio operation or else college graduates with some special training along technical lines. A limited number of chauffeurs and motorcycle dispatch bearers is also required.

It is proposed to establish two camps on North Island. The first of these will be in operation from June 1 to July 1, and the second from July 1 to August 1. They will be organized on the same lines as the Monterey camp of last summer, and will have the added advantage of being in co-operation with the United States Aero Training Station on North Island.

Each man will be required to purchase his own uniform and pay for his food while in camp.

Applications are pouring in at the headquarters of the Second Company of the Reserve Corps Squadron, situated at Berkeley. It is expected there will be large enrollments in Los Angeles.

WILL YOU HELP?

The United States Navy recruiting station, second floor, Union Oil Building, Seventh and Spring streets, needs fifty volunteers to give from two to three hours of their time in distributing posters urging young men to join the navy. The first call for this purpose brought fifty volunteers, but at least fifty more are needed. The work is light and men or women, boys or girls, can do the work. Volunteer and "do your bit."

TO REMEMBER LEXINGTON.

In commemoration of the battle of Lexington, the society, Sons of the Revolution, in California, will give a luncheon to its members and guests at the Jonathan Club, next Thursday, at noon. The principal speaker will be Charles Lapworth, the Los Angeles editor, who was formerly connected with the London Daily Mail.

War Strength.

ROSTER OF NAVAL BASE HOSPITAL IS COMPLETE.

FINAL details in lining up the personnel of the staff of the Los Angeles naval base hospital were completed yesterday by Dr. Rae Smith, director, and Dr. Guy Cochran, alternate director. The staff is now recruited to war strength and is composed of some of the most prominent medical men of the city.

The hospital staff is composed of two complete corps of surgeons, nurses and attendants, so that the two may alternate. These corps are headed by Dr. Rae Smith and Dr. Cochran. The muster roll contains the names of twenty nurses assistant-nurses and twenty nurses's assistants. Each corps will consist of ten doctors, twenty nurses and ten nurses' assistants.

The medical staff of the hospital is composed of the following surgeons: Dr. Rae Smith, Dr. Guy Cochran, Dr. Harry W. Vorhees, Dr. Phil Boller, Dr. Thomas R. McNab, Dr. Louis Josepha, Dr. W. W. Richardson, Dr. Lewis B. Morton, Dr. Frank W. Miller, Dr. D. P. Fredericks. The medical staff of doctors is composed of Dr. Dudley Fulton, Dr. D. J. Frick, Dr. J. Rae Cowan, Dr. Bertrand Smith, Dr. A. T. Charlton, Dr. Egerton Crispin, Dr. A. S. Granger, Dr. George Fruess, Dr. W. E. Sibley and Dr. J. F. Cook.

Neither Director Smith nor Alternate Director Cochran had received any specific orders from Washington yesterday. Their report concerning the readiness of their division for service and word that the required amount had been subscribed for supplies has already been forwarded. The division will await orders from Washington before mobilizing.

Standard Bearer.

HE'S HIGHEST ARMY PRIVATE.

Man of Six Feet Six Enlists with the Regulars.

All Branches Report Growing Martial Interest.

Lopping off of Married Won't Affect Coast Artillery.

The tallest man in the United States Army was enlisted last Saturday at the Phoenix branch of the Los Angeles recruiting station. The man's name is Willis Luther Watts, and he stands six feet, six inches in height, and weighs 190 pounds. When his application was received the Phoenix office wired Col. W. E. Purviance, commanding the recruiting station here, asking for a ruling, as the man is taller than the regulations call for. Col. Purviance wired back to accept him if he met other requirements.

Recruiting for the regular army is at high tide now. The men are coming in hundreds, all eager to enlist in defense of the flag. The fact that the regular army is likely to be placed on a footing of a volunteer army, and that enlistments will be taken for the period of the war, has had a decided beneficial effect on recruiting all over the country. Another factor is that the training of the new army is going to require at least 100,000 additional officers, and men enlisting now and applying themselves vigorously, stand an excellent chance of rapid promotion to officers' berths.

The offices of the United States Marine Corps, in command of Capt. Harrison Swain, are simply swamped with applications. The force is working overtime in an effort to keep up with the rush. More men have been examined in the past week than ever before in the history of recruiting here and each day shows an increase in the number of applicants.

The United States Naval recruiting station, in command of Capt. William R. Cushman, who succeeds Commander Ward Winchell, is also experiencing a decided rush.

The Coast Artillery, four companies of which have been mobilized, is recruited far beyond the minimum and will still be eligible for Federal service when the married men are discharged. No definite orders have yet been received as to moving, but Col. H. B. Light is expecting to receive a wire almost any moment ordering the men into active service.

Ambulance Corps No. 2 has received twelve new enlistments in the last two days. The corps gave a drill and dance last night at the T.M.A. Hall on Spring street, which was followed by dance. The entertainment was supplied by cabaret singers and performers from various leading cafes in the city. Battery A of the Field Artillery, reports splendid progress in recruiting and Troop D, Cavalry, is also meeting with marked success. The number of applicants for all units of the Seventh Regiment is increasing daily, according to officers in charge of the general headquarters at Fourth and Broadway.

CAMPAIGNER GOES WRONG.

Fifteen-day Sentence is Meted out to Impersonator.

John P. Eckland, who claims he spent last fall campaigning for the Democrats in the San Joaquin Valley, and who asserted he was promised a position in the Internal Revenue Service, pleaded guilty to impersonating a Federal official in United States District Judge Bledsoe's court, yesterday, and was sentenced to fifteen days in the County Jail. He had already served three months behind the bars.

Eckland admitted that he had cashed several bad $10 checks in Bakersfield and Coalinga, but offered as an excuse that he was drunk. He is a machinist.

Loyalty.

NEGROES ORGANIZING.

Colored People to at Once Form Home Guard Company at Pasadena and Then Raise Two Battalions or a Full Regiment of Local Volunteers.

The negro men and women of Southern California are indicating their desire to help in the time of their country's need. One of the results to immediately mature will be the formation of a company of Home Guards at Pasadena, and probably one in Los Angeles; but a still greater activity is looked for in the creation of two battalions or a full regiment of negro volunteers in Southern California, with headquarters in Los Angeles.

A patriotic mass meeting of negroes will be held Thursday night in the social hall of the Metropolitan Baptist Church, Pasadena avenue and Waverly drive, Pasadena. They particular purpose is to complete the formation of the Pasadena negro Home Guards, but at the same time the subject of raising two battalions or full regiment of negro volunteers will be presented and discussed.

Dr. E. L. Phernell, a negro surgeon of the Forty-eighth United States Volunteers, who had two years of service in the Philippines, will be the principal speaker, and others who will make patriotic talks are Capt. Jack Buck, a Spanish-American negro war veteran, and Dr. George D. Taylor, who is a student of military affairs.

SEEK POSTOFFICE JOB.

A class of forty-four applicants for positions as postoffice clerks took the civil service examination before Secretary Tynan yesterday, and another batch of about the same number is booked for today. The examination has been in progress nearly a week, more than 300 applicants having been disposed of.

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Fricassee of Chicken Giblets with Green Peas, Potatoes, Drink and Dessert 40c
Chipped Smoked Beef in Cream on Toast, Vegetables, Potatoes, Drink and Dessert 40c
Fresh Pork Spare Ribs, with Sauerkraut, Potatoes, Drink and Dessert 40c
Braised Calves' Sweetbreads with Mushrooms en Casserole, Potatoes, Drink and Dessert 40c
Vegetarian Dinner—Poached Egg, Green Peas, Rice, Cauliflower, Potatoes, Drink and Dessert 40c
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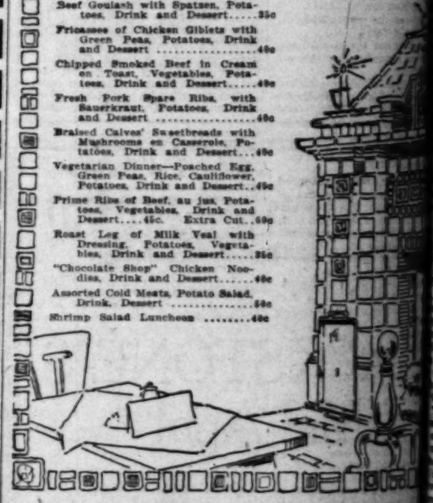

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WHERE TO GO TO ENLIST.

Central Recruiting Station is Located at Fourth Street and Broadway.

Central recruiting headquarters are now located at Fourth street and Broadway in the room formerly occupied by the Security National Bank. Enlistments in any branch of the service are received there. All able-bodied male citizens between the ages of 18 and 45 are eligible.

Sergeants representing the Seventh California Infantry, Coast Artillery, Battery A, California Field Artillery, Engineering Corps, Cavalry, Machine Gun Company, Hospital Corps, Naval Militia Motor Reserve, Ambulance Corps, United States Marines, United States Army and Navy, United States Army and Officers' Reserve Training Corps, are ready to receive your name there. Motor service is provided to carry recruits to the regimental headquarters at the Armory.

Other recruiting stations are located as follows: United States Army, San Fernando Building; United States Navy, Union Oil Building, second floor; United States Marine Corps, Central Building, second floor; Naval Militia, Sixth and Main streets, ground floor, Pacific Electric Building; Naval Coast Defense Reserve, 1211 Citizens' National Bank Building.

Judge Reeve carried it over to next Monday, and asked for a conference during the ensuing week of those interested in the welfare of Carlton.

Beautiful.

OUR NATIVE FLOWERS.

Five Hundred Varieties of Blossoms that Grow Wild in California are Displayed at Show Conducted by Southwest Museum.

The beauty and extensive variety of California's wild flowers was never more effectively displayed than at the Southwest Museum's wild flower show, which opened yesterday in the juvenile rooms of the public library. The show, which will be continued today and tomorrow, is being made with the assistance and co-operation of the schools, students having furnished most of the specimens.

There are about 500 varieties shown, nearly 300 of which grow in this country. Among them are many exceedingly beautiful varieties, including several never before shown. Additions to the display will undoubtedly be made today.

A lecture on wild flowers was given yesterday afternoon by Miss J. Britton of the public library. Mrs. Frances Foutz, author and botanist, will lecture at the same hour today, and tomorrow Miss Frances Conrad of the public library will speak.

Five prizes are offered to the students showing the greatest number of varieties. These will be awarded today. The judges are Miss Belle Irola Smith, manager of the show; Dr. Anstruther Davis, Dr. Hector Alliott, curator of the Southwest Museum, and Theodore Payne.

Changes.

TRANSFERS JUSTICE.

Because of Illness of Member of State Supreme Court, Order is Made Providing for Service of Justice Shaw for an Indefinite Time.

The State Supreme Court yesterday, on the eve of its sine die adjournment, took action to fortify itself against the absence of Justice W. P. Lawlor. He is confined to his home in San Francisco, from hardening of the arteries, and his return to the bench is somewhat uncertain. The court made an order transferring Justice Victor E. Shaw of the District Court of Appeal to the Supreme Court, for service indefinitely.

Justice Shaw sat on the bench all of last week in place of Justice Lawlor. He will go to San Francisco next week, and begin at once his labors on the bench of the court of last resort.

In order to provide for the vacancy caused by the temporary retirement of Justice Shaw from the District Court of Appeal, the Supreme Court made an order transferring Superior Judge Lewis R. Works to the District Court of Appeal.

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BUREAU OF RESEARCH.

Board of Education Provides for New Field of Work.

A comparison of the pupils of the schools of Los Angeles with other pupils throughout the country was provided for by the Board of Education at its meeting last night by the establishment of a bureau of research. The most valuable asset in the bureau will be the gain to the pupils in being much better prepared to enter intermediate or high schools or business offices. The teachers will be enabled to check their own work with no outside supervision.

A salary of $2400 is carried for the director of the bureau, Robert H. Lane, whose appointment is made in the same resolution. Mr. Lane is now principal of the Cornwell-street school. He will begin his new duties May 1.

PARCELS FUNERAL.

Funeral services will be conducted for Mrs. Mary O. Parcels, 77 years old, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edwin G. Voight, No. 163 South Ardmore avenue, last Monday, at the Pierce Bros. chapel, No. 810 South Flower street, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Services will be under the auspices of the Christian Science Church. The body will be cremated at Rosedale. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Edwin G. Voight.

Who's Guilty?

SEEK SLAYERS OF LEE CHUNG.

Chinese Held in Jail Deny Knowledge of Murder.

Others Maintain Silence as to the Criminals.

Conference with Tong Heads Brings no Results.

With six Chinese in jail, with free Chinese standing around in the City Jail corridors, and with stony-faced orientals who are unwilling to answer questions, members of the police department are endeavoring to discover who killed Lee Chung, a Chinese cook, 22 years old, late Sunday night at No. 323½ Marchessault street.

Chung was shot and instantly killed when three young Chinese, said to be members of the Hop Sing tong, walked into the rooms of the oriental club at the Marchessault street address, and started shooting at him. More than fifteen shots were fired by the three men. When their victim fell, with a bullet through his brain, they walked out of the rooms, and disappeared. No trace of them has been found.

Four Chinese are in jail on suspicion of having been implicated in the shooting. They are Wong Chung Sun Lee, Gong Jim and Dong Fong. They were arrested at No. 122 Commercial street by Sergt. Toomey and Plainclothesman Katzenberger of the Chinatown squad. The Chinese declare that they know nothing of the murder.

Two other Chinese, Wong Hong and Wong Fong, were arrested as witnesses of the shooting. They are held in the City Jail, but yesterday refused to state whether or not any of the men now incarcerated perpetrated the crime.

Chinatown yesterday and last night was held in a grip of terror. Very few Chinese ventured out of their houses yesterday, and those who did scurried from doorway to doorway.

That the slaying was the outcome of carefully-made plans is the belief of the police. The investigation is being conducted by Chief Butler, assisted by Lieutenants of Detectives Home and McIntosh, Capt. Murray, Sergts. Jarvis and McClary and Detectives Roberds, Bowe, Taylor and Erven.

Several weeks ago, when an alleged gunman was arrested in Los Angeles, suspected of being here to start a tong war, the members of the various tongs met in Chief Butler's office and signed a peace treaty. Chief Butler ordered the signers of the paper to appear in his office yesterday in an effort to get at the bottom of the shooting Sunday night. Nothing was accomplished at the meeting.

Oscar Soon, who for several years was secretary of the Bing Kong tong, resigned his position a few days ago, giving as his reason coming trouble. The dead man was a member of the Bing Kong tong. Soon's whereabouts are unknown to the police.

WILL SPEAK TO SCHOOLS.

The schools will pay especial attention today to the "Kindness to Animals Week" campaign being carried on under the auspices of the Humane Society. Players from the Morosco Theater will speak before several schools today. Bertha Mann and Ramsey Wallace will speak at two of the high schools, and Sue MacManamy and Warner Baxter will tell the children of several of the grammar schools of deeds performed by dumb animals that stamp them as the friends of man.

BUT FOUR TURN OVER WEAPONS.

Meager Response to Police Order Affecting Alien Enemy Residents.

Out of several hundred Germans in Los Angeles, only four yesterday responded to Chief Butler's order that all alien enemies of the United States must place their firearms and deadly weapons with the police department.

The men who responded are W. Burkhart, one large automatic revolver, several rounds of ammunition and portions of the uniform of a German marine; Carl von Wiedow of No. 2436 Pomeroy street, two revolvers; Frederich A. Hofmann of No. 215 West Eleventh street, one automatic revolver, and N. Arzmiller of No. 1221 East Thirty-eighth street, one revolver.

Students Drill.

(Continued from First Page.)

ning next week drilling will occupy every afternoon.

There was an array of color fluttering in the ill-tempered breeze that swept the grand stand yesterday afternoon as the girl students appeared to cheer for the future warriors that their institution may send into the ranks.

The war also occupied the chief place of interest among the girl students of the university. An entire building has been vacated for their use in sewing and crocheting for the Red Cross and the Women's Navy League.

Miss Gertruda Comstock, head of the department of oratory, who has charge of all of this work, announced yesterday that beginning Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock a training class in nursing will be open to all the girls in the university. The lectures will be given Tuesday and Thursday afternoons by Dr. Chester Bowers, who is an alumnus of the university, both arts and medical departments.

The chairman of the university branch of the Red Cross is Miss Mildred Mackie. Miss Harriet Mail has been chosen to take charge of the sewing department.

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Shortage of Morphine Causes Abrogation of Law.

Means Putting into Use of Drug Formerly Burned.

The smoking opium in the custody of the Collector of Customs here, amounting to 1838 five-tael cans, valued at $100,000, which was taken in the administration of the law, will be sent to the Department of Health at Washington. An order to this effect was received yesterday by the collector.

This shipment, with other smoking opium seized throughout the United States, will be held for examination and use in experiments by the government with a view to ascertaining whether by chemical reduction, it is possible to extract morphine from it in paying quantities.

The law provides that all such seizures made by government officers shall be destroyed by fire, but chemists have evolved a method by which morphine can be secured from the opium. As a result a million dollars' worth of opium will now be made available for use in government hospitals and other places.

At present there is an absolute shortage of morphine in this country because of the difficulty in getting opium from Turkey by reason of the war. The Persian product is only available through English sources, and England has placed an embargo on all exports of opium except through special government permits.

The suggestion that has been adopted by the government of holding the smoking opium, with a view to extracting morphine, was originally made by the local Collector of Customs December 20, 1915. It is believed that Los Angeles will furnish the largest amount of smoking opium of any district in the country.

Early Closing for Want Ads.

Times Want Ad patrons are notified that copy for classified real estate advertisements, all other Part V advertisements, for Sunday's Times, will not be accepted after 5 o'clock p.m. Saturdays.

"Wanted" and "To Let" advertisements will be accepted as usual until 11 o'clock p.m. Saturdays.

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There are some hosts who make their guests miserable with too much entertainment. They mean well, of course, but their efforts to make their guests happy result only in their own discomfiture and the embarrassment of those they seek to please. The best host is he who pays not too much attention to his guest, allowing him to forget that he is being entertained.

TOUGH EITHER WAY.

"An actor's life can either be a lazy and a starving one or it can be hard-working one and he can nearly starve," says a brilliant English actor. This may be true of people who follow other professions than that of acting. However, regardless of the reward, the happiest man is the one who, without considering compensation, gives to the world the best that is in him. There is a joy in honest endeavor which is a reward in itself.

"NO MORE THAN WE."

A clever writer has written two columns in a local paper to prove that artists are not human. His contention reminds us of the story of the old farmer and his wife who were seeing their first circus. They stood before a monkeys' cage in the side show and gaped wonderingly in at the playful simians. The old man had heard something of the Darwinian theory, but he was too old to be fooled, even by the best of evidence. With a shrug of his shoulders he turned to his wife. "And they want to tell me them things is human!" he said. "Huh! They're no more human than we are!"

A BITTER DOSE.

Pleading guilty to a charge of injuring a person while driving an automobile when intoxicated, a San Luis Obispo man had his license as a driver revoked for one year and was ordered by the court "to drink no intoxicating liquors for two years." He was also advised to keep away from saloons and bad company and to not indulge in gambling. Most men resent being driven to decency, but sometimes it is their only salvation. This judgment of the court, it is to be hoped, will have a good effect on others besides this particular offender. The sentence was certainly more conducive to the welfare of society than "Ten dollars or ten days."

A SUCCESS.

Red Cross Day was a success from every standpoint. Seventeen tons of oranges were consumed by Los Angeles residents, six tons having been donated to the children in various orphans' homes. The oranges, all of which were donated by citrus associations, represented a value of $10,000. Some of the biggest sales were made by the Boy Scouts who worked as faithfully as the men and women who had charge of the whole affair. When Los Angeles is called upon to take part in any worthy enterprise the youngsters never fail to help shoulder the responsibility. Witness the donations of the school children to the Belgian and German relief funds and the willingness with which the school children of the city and county are offering their services to help save the beet crop. The young girls of the Los Angeles Italian colony are now working to assist in the success of the Dante Alighieri Society's benefit for the widows and orphans of Italian soldiers.

DISPROVING MIRACLES.

A woman graduate of an eastern university contends that the manna fed to the Israelites consisted of little bars of sugared sap which was gathered from trees by insects and was dropped upon the caravan of Moses when the insects, flying over camp one evening, became frightened at the army of human beings who had invaded their domain. Of course, that would be just as wonderful as if the manna had been provided by the Lord in any other fashion, but it doesn't seem quite as miraculous. When will these scientists "light up" on us? We give them fair warning now that "the dreamer lives forever, while the thinker dies with the day." It is a just penalty visited upon those who would rob the world of its faith in the miraculous dispensations of providence.

NO HABEAS CORPUS FOR TRAITORS.

Andrew Kalin of Bayonne, N. J., said in a public street, "To hell with the American flag," whereupon John Melynk knocked him down, and then sat upon him and blacked his eyes and pounded his face to a pulp. The police judge before whom the parties were brought discharged Melynk, saying "bully for you," and sent Kalin to jail.

In Trenton, N. J., Philip Madino, a Mexican, was sentenced to six months labor on the streets for spitting on the American flag. "You can now," said the judge, "instead of expectorating on the Stars and Stripes expect to rate on the street with a ball and chain fastened to your ankle."

Under an Act of Congress passed in 1798, and which has not been invoked since 1812, the President is enpowered in time of war to authorize arrests of alien enemies under the Attorney-General's order, and parties arrested may be locked up for an indefinite period without trial and without bail.

Friends and admirers of Mr. Hohenzollern, who entertain opinions adverse to the United States, are advised to padlock their lips, unless they wish to occupy rooms with which no telephone communicates and enjoy corn meal mush and bacon rinds as a steady diet.

THINGS THAT REALLY COUNT.

It will be rather fine dear readers, when you are lovable old grandparents, to be able to recall proudly, happily the splendid way in which our generation met an international tribulation; how gaily and good temperedly you met the problems of the things that really matter. For it is not many of us who are greedily laying in vast stocks of groceries and provisions, not many of us who are trying to grab plenty for ourselves and let the devil take the hindmost. And those of us who are will be strangely silent upon the question. It will not sound well to tell your grandchildren: "Oh, yes, I was spry. I saw what was coming and bought up all I could get. Prices were getting higher and higher. Yes, thousands of poor people went hungry. But our family was all right. Yes, I guess we did help to create the panic by drawing all our money out of the bank, but one has to think of oneself!"

No, if that were true, we shall have the grace to be ashamed of it. But it won't be true—for most of us. We shall rather speak of the things we did without, of our proudly shouldered share of the burden and the woe. It is an ignominious thing to be well fed when others are hungry, a disgusting thing to take when all are giving, revolting to be only an ultimate consumer when others are producing.

Rather shall it be our business to tell the young folks how their grandfathers and great-grandfathers faced hard times, cheerfully, generously, each for all and all for each, and how to be comfortable at the expenses of others was the one unpardonable offense. How those of us who knew luxury, scorned it with a fine contempt in order that the great war for the salvation of civilization's best ideals should not be corrupted with individual greed.

For this is a struggle to maintain our ideals. The government of Germany is not only making war on armies and navies, on property, on international rights, but it is making war upon those best and sweetest ideals deep in us, the ideals of right, of human kindness, of fair play, of mercy, justice and honor which are deeply rooted in our souls.

It is a concerted rejection by the world of the German General War Staff's policies of frightfulness, of ruthlessness, laid down in their official War Book and rigidly carried out by the strict orders of their officers.

The Hohenzollerns have attempted to set at naught the most cherished ideals of humanity. And our answer will be a more urgent individual practice of those best ideals as we hear the Greater Voice assure us: "I know thy work and tribulation and poverty. Fear none of these things which thou shalt suffer. . . . Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life."

And there is a joyous exaltation in endurance for such a cause. And it is a tradition of Americans that they can do great things lightly. Instead of singing in guttural tones a hymn of hate, we shall smilingly, good-humoredly, live our songs of love. And to love well is to give up, to sacrifice, to endure, to protect—not to grab, to take, to horde and to pilfer.

And if we can cheerfully reduce our daily needs to the things that really matter, if we can put our activities into production, creation; general conservation—yes, if we even leave off eating butter and jam on the same piece of bread, we are contributors rather than parasites. If we only guard our waste and reduce it to a minimum, if we only faithfully share the tribulations and resist the temptation to think only of our own, we are doing our bit for righteousness.

Why, these war times will mean the breaking of dreadful social shackles, real freedom, for many of us. Feeding those who are not hungry has been the great problem of our prosperous hostesses. Tempting their jaded appetites with strange foods, the more expensive the better, and even so having to ring up wildly numerous social stop-gaps at the last minute that there may be no chilly, empty seats at the table! And the reluctant acceptance of these dinner invitations at which the chief motive was showing off the expensive napery and silver of the hosts—if hard times means a respite from this social exaction, it can bring nothing but a joyous sense of relief in its train.

And no longer need we hesitate with our invitation because there is nothing to eat in the house! If he is the right sort of fellow there wont be anything rich to eat in his own house either and our left-over lamb stew will be as welcome to him as a banquet.

The lady who gave the modest little dinner of three courses to Secretary and Mrs. Lansing, where eight courses were wont to be de riguer, warmed our hearts. How often have we eaten eight courses when our stomachs would have been twice as happy on one! What we have gone through training our stomachs up to eight, none but those weary tummies knows!

We have too long denied ourselves the joy of the things that really count. Now we can indulge to our heart's content. Begone false pride! We can now sit before our economical soup of mysterious ingredient and our potatoes thriftily cooked in their skins, with a joy and a fellowship in a pride that is not false, knowing, but never saying, that this is for righteousness sake!

COLUMN FORWARD!

German influences are potent in Mexico. There are in that country tens of thousands of German reservists unable to return to Germany, even if they desired to do so, and their number has within the last two years been greatly augmented from California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. The Carranza treasury has been filled with German gold and the Carranza armories supplied with German arms and munitions. The Carranza government is counseled, and, to a great extent, controlled by German influences, and, at their direction, Carranza made his rejected proposal asking our government to join him in an embargo on supplies to England and the other Entente Allies.

In the armies of Carranza, Villa, Obregon and other Mexican bandit leaders there are several hundred thousand well-armed and seasoned soldiers, and if these can be united and reinforced with and trained by German reservists they can be brought on Mexican territory to Juarez, to Nogales, to Mexicali, to a point on the Colorado River below Yuma, and to Tia Juana. Then the towns of El Paso, Deming, Nogales, Tucson, Phoenix, Yuma, Calexico, Blythe and San Diego might be looted and burned, and even San Bernardino and Los Angeles might not escape.

The danger to our rich, populous and unguarded border was discerned by the General Staff of our army two years ago, when it presented to President Wilson its "statement of a proper military policy for the United States." At that time Germany was not the menace that it now is to the safety of Southern California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. And more recent recommendations of the General Staff urge that a much larger force be provided for the national defense than it had thought sufficient in 1915.

Two years ago the suggestion that Mexican armies could seriously menace any part of the United States was met with derision, but it was not long before we found that it took practically all the regular soldiers and a mobilized National Guard of nearly 150,000 men to hold back the Villa followers and sympathizers at a cost to the national treasury of over $150,000,000.

Are our eyes sufficiently opened to a great and pending danger? Or shall we continue to dwell in a fool's paradise of blind confidence? Can we not see that a unified and Germanized Mexican army, fired by prospects of loot and the promise of Germany to aid Mexico in wresting back California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas from the hated gringos, presents to us a problem more difficult of solution than last summer's futile pursuit of Villa and patrolling of 1500 miles of border, with a dozen to a hundred cattle and horse thieves, and murderers of Americans, encamped on every mile?

If Germany trains and officers a great Mexican army it will be done with thoroughness and expedition. Once let that army cross the border and find us unprepared there will be a ruthless destruction of life and property. Robbery, arson and murder will run riot even more terribly than they did when the German forces devastated Northern France. With Teuton thoroughness grafted on Aztec savagery, and international law and the teachings of civilization utterly discarded, the awful consequences can scarcely be imagined.

Fortunately we still have time to prepare to meet the conditions, for Mexico is not yet quite ready to make the assault, and, with our American quickness and immense resources we can move more rapidly than Mexico.

Our duty is to prepare. We should drill, arm and equip an army of 500,000 men and invade and take possession and hold military occupation of Germanized northern Mexico before Germanized Mexico can invade us. The proper defensive now is a prompt offensive. We have abundant and overwhelming evidence that we are about to be invaded and attacked. Don't wait for the attack! Strike the allied thieves and assassins before they can strike us. Guard the border, of course, but move the border many miles southward, plant the Stars and Stripes there, and keep them there!

PLAYING SAFE.

All Los Angeles Germans who are enemies of America and who are found armed are to have their weapons taken from them. According to President Wilson's definition, an alien enemy is any native, citizen, denizen or subject of Germany, being male, of the age of fourteen years and upward who shall be within the United States and not actually naturalized. Any armed German, who is not naturalized, will be considered an enemy but will not be mistreated in any way. He will simply be disarmed, and if he has good judgment he will see the necessity for the measure and will not kick. If he hasn't good judgment or if his intentions be sinister, then it is more necessary than ever that he be disarmed—and he will be.

He Has Another Guess.

PROGRESS OF PREPAREDNESS.

No technical obstructions are fettering the activities of our army authorities. They are cutting red tape right and left and preparedness is progressing with rapidity. The "bloated corporations," the "sordid wealth owners" are exhibiting a patriotic devotion to their country unprecedented in the history of the world. Copper manufacturers have agreed to supply the army's needs of that product for the next year at half the present market prices. The Bethlehem Steel Company and the United States Steel Corporation have offered to do likewise. The United States Rubber Company and the Fore River Shipbuilding Company have tendered their plants to the government. Henry Ford has made a similar offer. The General Electric Company is willing to give its extensive research laboratory to the Naval Consulting Board. The Mexican Petroleum Company has offered five tank steamers and 5,000,000 gallons of fuel oil, and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company has placed its wire facilities at the service of the government. In all, 32,000 corporations, firms and individuals have offered to turn over their plants to the government during the war.

Under authority granted the President by the National Defense Act and the last naval appropriation bill, any corporation, company or person who has anything or makes anything that the United States requires for war purposes and who refuses a reasonable price therefor will face prosecution and seizure of the plants.

There is no apprehension entertained at Washington as to the ability of the nation to finance the war. One of the treasury authorities has estimated that the United States can now withstand eight times the strain under which it labored during the panic of 1907. To put the national and private banks and other concerns on a sound economic basis the reserve board has taken many precautions, its preparations even including the printing of a great quantity of reserve notes which are now ready to be put into circulation if the need comes. For the first time in history the gold bullion held in treasury vaults recently passed the three billion dollar mark.

Rich and poor, capitalists and laborers, gloved hands and grimed hands, women and children, the hearts that throb under silk and the hearts that beat under calico, are all called upon to sacrifice something for our country. "What is our country? Not alone the land and the sea, the lakes and rivers, and valleys and mountains—not alone the people, their customs and laws, not alone the memories of the past, the hopes of the future; it is something more than all these combined. It is a divine abstraction. You cannot tell what it is, but let its flag rustle above your head, you feel its living presence in your hearts." It is not given to Germany and Austria and Turkey and Bulgaria and Mexico combined to lay the bleeding corpse of our country in the tomb. If they could, angels would roll the stone from the mouth of the sepulchre and our country would come forth a living presence. Out of this war that the Hohenzollern has forced upon us, the power and majesty and patriotism of the American people will emerge victorious and our republic, baptized anew, shall live a thousand years to come, "the Colossus of the nations—its feet upon the continent, its scepter over the seas, its forehead among the stars."

The Russian government has approved the construction of 20,779 miles of new railroad in the dominion within the next five years at a cost of $300,000,000. A revolutionary government which is concerning itself with these projects of peace is apparently on a substantial foundation.

HOT-SHOT FIRED BY BILLY SUNDAY.

Whatever may be said of Billy Sunday it is certainly true that he is an orator whose hearers will not snore during his discourses. The Times culls from the New York Herald's report of his sermon on Sunday, April 8, in that village the following oratorical gems:

"Come on, all you forces of iniquity in New York! Come on!" he shouted, "all you that have made of the church a cuspidor and a doormat to wipe your dirty feet on; come on, you traducers, come on, you triple extract of infamy; come on, you assassins of character; come on, you sponsors of harlotry; come on, you defamers of God and enemies of the church; come on, you bull-necked, beetle-browed, hog-jowled, peanut-brained, weasel-eyed four-flushers, false alarms and excess baggage. In the name of God, I challenge and defy you. It is mighty easy to lie about a man when he isn't on the job. I'm here now. Come on, and I'll deliver the goods, express prepaid!"

"If you could see the devil as he is he'd be in the hospital before the Fourth of July. The trouble is that he pulls the wool over your eyes."

"Why, the Holy Ghost could not descend nor an angel from heaven could not come down to New York and mix up and loaf around with the people some of you loaf around with, and then return to heaven without being disinfected and fumigated and given a bath in lysol and formaldehyde."

"Why, at Pentecost one sermon saved three thousand people; now it takes three thousand to get one old buttermilk-eyed, red nosed, whisky soaked blasphemer.

"No people on God's earth are better clothed and better fed than in America, so this is not what is wrong.

"A fellow came to me and said, 'Billy, the trouble is that we need organization in the church.' God help us! We're organized too much today. There is so much organization in the church that you can hear the machinery squeak, but we haven't got oil enough of the Holy Ghost to grease one axle of God's chariot."

Decrying the absence of the Holy Spirit from many of the compositions of modern preachers, "Billy" exclaimed:—"In some sermons I have read or heard you could not have found Jesus Christ with a search warrant.

"One of the greatest dangers, as I see it, to the church is the egotistical, selfish contentment of men. This is the curse of the world today. Because you think your hope of heaven is sure, you don't care a rap whether the other fellow is saved; if you are happy you don't care whether the other man suffers or not."

"Joshua fighting a battle for God said that the sun would set, and it would grow dark before he would be able to finish this battle.

"'Just make the sun stand still a little while and prolong this day till I whip that bunch to a frazzle, and it will send your name ringing down through the ages,' he said to God, and God reached up and grabbed the sun and said, 'Stay there, don't move until thy servant Joshua gives you the "highball."'

"Samsen with the Holy Spirit upon him could take the jawbone of an ass and lay dead one thousand Philistines. Samson without the Holly Spirit was as weak as a new born babe and they poked his eyes out and cut off his locks, and so with the church and her members."

"Let's yank some of the groans out of our prayers and shoot in some acclamations and believe that God lives and is on the job. If we applied the first twenty sentences of the 'Sermon on the Mount' churches that are empty would be filled and some that are great dormitories would be hives of industry. Capital and labor will shake hands and there will be no strikes or lockouts once each has accepted the principles of Christ.

"I believe that a poor church member is better than none at all. The soldier who breaks every regulation is better than the godforsaken mutt who won't even enlist. In these days you must be either a patriot or a traitor."

JUST FOR FUN.

Far the Better-Half.

[Life:] Smith: How's everything at your house?

Brown: Oh, she's all right.

Drive On.

[Punch:] Lady (asking for the third time:) Have we reached No. 234 yet?

Conductor: Yes, mum. Here you are. (Stops bus.)

Lady: Oh, I didn't want to get out. I only wanted to show my little Fido where he was born.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

THE EX-CZAR.

My old friend Nick is now an ex;
no more a crown his brow bedecks.
The people wearied of his reign and
showed him where to leave the train.
A monarch with a head of bone
should not be perched upon a throne
in troublous times when kings must
try to earn their salaries or die.
From palaces and crowns remote
the czar must seek his straying goat.
A kind and pleasant gent was he,
this Nicholas, whose end we see.
But he would never use his head,
and by false prophets he was led.
Great Russians begged, at every
chance, that he would come out from
his trance and reign according to
the rules laid down by Hoyle; but
knaves and fools possessed the bone-
head monarch's ear until he saw
his doom appear. Now, stripped of
all his kingly state, of all the pomp
that made him great, by loyal coun-
trymen accurst, he sadly wanders,
verst on verst, o'er hill and dale
and moor and fen, and hopes he'll
find his goat again. But royal goats,
when once they stray, are gone for-
ever and a day. WALT MASON.

SAVING THE NATION.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

There is really some excuse for the effervescent importance we women are oozing just now. But we are certainly oozing it. Each and every one of us feels that the salvation of the nation rests with her particular part in it.

Some of us, you see, have a chance to really do something, for the first time in our lives. And those of us who have long realized that the final decisions on the great problems of the age are up to us, who have been devoting our lives to settling offhand each big issue as it arose, who have never failed to telegraph our views to the President, our Congressmen, our Senators, and our State Legislature, are bearing the added burden of this crisis with admirable self-control.

But of course, we can't help feeling puffed up about it. The fact that we have the vote saddles us with a peculiar personal responsibility. It won't be our fault if things go wrong. Besides, we have been assured on eminent authority that it is up to us women to save the nation. And even if our bit only happens to be selling Red Cross emblems and memberships, we have no intention of slacking on the job.

But we must not let ourselves get too ferocious about it. There really has been rather an alarming outbreak of feminine ferocity during the last two weeks. We are in dire danger of forgetting the business of being charming. I have seen gentle souls who could formerly be counted upon for grace and tact, positively smothered in belligerency in the pursuit of their particular bit of national salvation.

In fact, it would almost seem that we have decided it is no longer good form to be pleasing. We have a sense of being a personal representative of authority in whom any amiability would be undignified. The mere fact that we are a Red Cross worker, for instance, seems to have given us the right to demand, not request, and any failure in instant obedience looks to us suspiciously like lack of patriotism.

We have all suddenly become a crowd of little despots, petty tyrants. And dear heaven, how critical we are of each other! Our way is the only way and there cannot possibly be any argument about it. We are all born organizers, born leaders, terrors of efficiency. It would seem that we have absorbed the German creed of ruthlessness rather amazingly well and in our modest way we are doing all we can to make war so frightful that any future wars will be out of the question.

Of course it is splendid that we should take our work so seriously. But our sudden accession of importance does seem to be turning our heads a bit. It would not be really indecent if we continued to smile just now and then. It would not undermine our dignity very seriously. We could probably accomplish just as much with less than half the ferocity we are expending. I watched a lady knit a Red Cross square the other day as though every stitch were a dastardly insult. I have heard dainty looking women offer a buttonhole flag for sale with the sort of suppressed fury that she might offer a cup of coffee to a ruthless enemy. I have heard a Red Cross officer "request" the right to place a station outside a store in a voice that a wrathful schoolma'am might use to an erring small boy.

Dash it all, let's save the nation cheerfully and politely, if only for the sake of our beauty. Ferocity is dreadfully unbecoming. One can really do quite a lot for the country without necessarily impairing one's good manners.

Ancient History.

[As it may be written 20,000 years from now.]

During the Great War that portion of the western continent known as the United States found itself divided as to what course to pursue.

Willbryan, or Will O'Brien, (1) the King Maker, had lost his popularity and fallen into disgrace because of pacifistic utterances. T. R. (2,) who for so long had controlled the destiny of the nation, was quietly increasing his power. The actual government of the land was listed in a college professor, a lawyer and a newspaper writer.

Another leader appeared upon the scene at this time. He came from Australia, though his invasion was a peaceful one. His name was Darcy (3.) It was expected that he would lead the American forces in their participation in the Great War. For some unknown reason he refused to do so. His end is unknown.

Revolutions were the order of these unsettled times. The American and French revolutions were quickly followed by a similar disturbance in Russia. Mike Romanoff (4) was named head of the nation, following the abdication of Nicholas (5;) but his rule lasted briefly. The land became a republic.

In the United States, a militant band of women was organized. (6.) They formed an auxiliary to the standing army, and aided greatly in the final engagements which occurred on land and sea.

(1.) Also known as the Great Pacificator.

(2.) Obviously an abbreviation for the Rex, undoubtedly derived from the Roman.

(3.) Can it be an abbreviation of: "Darst he"? (Anc. American.)

(4.) No doubt an Irish exile.

(5.) Later canonized under the name of St. Nicholas, the patron of Christmastide.

(6.) An outgrowth of the Amazons.—[Cleveland Leader.

Back in New Jersey they celebrated this year what is known as Boys' Day, ordered by proclamation of Gov. Edge. Those of us who have had occasion to observe boys have long been of the opinion that every day is boys' day. One of the uses to which boys' day might be put would be for father to get better acquainted with his sons.

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Fighters at the front.

The Army and Navy fleet.

The call is for ... parades.

Why not do more for the ... forces?

How are you getting on ... diet of rice?

The gallant Seventh ... always been first.

What this United ... seems to need is more ... fewer Red Cross nurses.

Some of the folks on ... Side are making a bit ... an American flag flower.

Bill Stone has gone ... business of posing as the ... the Wilson administration.

This is the time of year ... when they used to drink ... tea for the blood.

If the shoes for women ... higher in build it will be ... to equip them with blisters.

The German sailors ... terned in Georgia should ... plain. The watermelon ... soon be on.

Nineteen hundred and ... will be remembered by ... corn as the year of ... drought.

The bathing season is ... at the beaches, and the ... nette Kellermanns are ... daily dash beyond the surf.

The Allies are still ... Mesopotamia. Bagdad ... terminus, after all; but ... point to take on water.

A bit late, but here ... stones as big as ... ed in the East. They ... about this time of year.

It is a question who ... of some of the States ... blame their troubles on ... is barred by the law.

It is a good thing ... Senator La Follettes in ... Duma or the proposed ... throwing the Czar over ... wall would still be under.

If there were not so ... marks willing to pay so ... what they want, the kaiser ... ing would not be sued ... sue.

Baseball players have ... military training, in view ... eventualities. There has ... been a lot of soldiers in ... sional ranks.

There used to be an ... boy who, in a crowded ... always got up and gave ... the ladies. Where is he ... now?

No doubt the large ... turned for Carranza is ... President of Mexico was ... fact that he had been ... out of war with the United States.

The new Russian ... about to seize the $2,000,000 ... tune of Nicholas Romanoff, ... known as the Czar. It ... profitably invested in ... real estate.

Josephus Daniels said ... needs 74,500 men, yet he ... charged the best gunner in the navy ... because once in the entire year he was ... not on duty, he drank more than he ... should. That is enforcing the prohibition law with a vengeance.

There is a clever device on ... the market that will enable ... to hold up his pantaloons ... the aid of suspenders. ... ent high prices continue ... may be able to support ... the corner of the big three.

There is nothing so ... man as a few days ... stream. Away from the ... strifes, away from the ... struggling, under God's ... in the presence alone of ... work.

What has become of ... ioned William Jennings ... Don't worry about Will ... turing and getting the ... thing mighty near to his ... is commercializing his ... at so much a night, ... in advance.

It has been suggested ... United States assume a ... over the Holy Land ... done so much for the ... government could not be ... of a sinister or selfish ... world is really just begin... preciate the United States of America.

ONE VOICE.

You were the prisoner of ... tale
Who spoke in ... of words,
Whose laughter fell ... bright trill
Of sounds as winged ... as birds.

I never knew until you ... me
That any voice could ... name so much
That just to speak it ... to be
A fragrance and a ... touch.

My days are gowned ... ment.
My nights new ... ing.
For fear you may ... as you were,
And I shall live ... echoing.

—[Winifred ... Magazine.

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ES DARCY, B
The Goat.
STRALIAN IS EELING BLUE.
He is Being Picked on Too Severely.
He is not a Slacker and Asks Chance.
of of Bouts Put Him in Bad Way.
WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)
ORLEANS, April 16.—Les
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would be able to go
with this mill, as the Gov-
not interfere. While
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special possibilities, makes it a very desirable
to follow.
Competent Instructors and Latest Type of
to be used. Enroll now.
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PEN POINTS.

BY THE STAFF.

Fighters at the front!

The Army and Navy first?

The call is for enlistments,
parades.

Why not do more for the
forces?

How are you getting on with
diet of rice?

The gallant Seventh Regiment
always been first.

What this United States
seems to need is more soldiers
fewer Red Cross nurses.

Some of the folks on the
Side are making a hit by
an American flag flower bed.

Bill Stone has gone out of
business of posing as the
the Wilson administration.

This is the time of year back
when they used to drink
tea for the blood.

If the shoes for women get
higher in build it will be
to equip them with hinges.

The German sailors being
terned in Georgia should not
plain. The watermelon season
soon be on.

Nineteen hundred and seven
will be remembered by John
corn as the year of the
drought.

The bathing season is on
at the beaches, and the
nette Kellermanns are taking
daily dash beyond the surf.

The Allies are still advancing
Mesopotamia. Bagdad was the
terminus, after all; but
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A bit late, but here it is
stones as big as walnuts as
ed in the East. They also
about this time of year.

It is a question what the
of some of the States will
blame their troubles on what
is barred by the law.

It is a good thing there was
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If there were not so many
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Baseball players have the
military training, in view of
eventualities. There have
been a lot of soldiers in the
sional ranks.

There used to be an old-
boy who, in a crowded
always got up and gave his
the ladies. Where is that
now?

No doubt the large majority
turned for Carranza in his
President of Mexico was the
fact that he had kept the
out of war with the United

The new Russian government
about to seize the $2,000,000,000
tune of Nicholas Romanoff,
known as the Czar. It is
profitably invested in Los
real estate.

Josephus Daniels says the
needs 74,500 men, yet he
charged the best gunner in the
because once in his career
not on duty, he drank more
should. That is enforcing
hibition law with a vengeance.

There is a clever device on
the market that will enable
to hold up his pantaloons
the aid of suspenders. If
ent high prices continue we
may be able to suspend
the corner of the hip bones.

There is nothing so human
man as a few days along the
stream. Away from the city
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struggling, under God's blue
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What has become of the
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Don't worry about Willie; he
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thing mighty near to his heart
is commercializing his powers
at so much a night, often
in advance.

It has been suggested that
United States assume a protectorate
over the Holy Land since we have
done so much for the Jews. The
government could not be charged
of a sinister or selfish motive, for the
world is really just beginning to appreciate the United States of America.

ONE VOICE.

You were the princess of the tale
Who spoke in emeralds of words,
Whose laughter left an echo bright trail
Of sounds as winged and as birds.

I never knew until yours was me
That any voice could name so much,
That just to speak it made to be
A fragrance and a color touch.

My days are gestures of ment,
My nights are attitudes ing,
For fear you may have went as you went.
And I shall lose the echoing. Welles, in —[Winifred Magazine.

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ES DARCY, BARRED FROM NEW ORLEANS, HOPES TO FIGHT IN OHIO RING.

The Goat.

TRALIAN IS EELING BLUE.

He is Being Picked on Too Severely.

He is not a Slacker and Asks Chance.

ed of Bouts Put Him in Bad Way.

[BY WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
ORLEANS, April 16.—Les
Australian barred from
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LITTLE JOINS THRONG.

[BY WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
FRANCISCO BUREAU OF
April 16.—Les Darcy,
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Wisconsin, can add
Flirt, to his list of call-
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who was a fight pro-
before he became the

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Out of a job.

Les Darcy and the pair of tremendous hands he has been unable to get into action since arriving in this country. This youngster, said to be the greatest middleweight in the world, is under the ban because of leaving Australia to evade military duty.

president of a jockey club, says as long as he controls the Tia Juana course Darcy can never fight there. Also Coffroth says that unless a great big match comes along which would attract thousands of people, he will have nothing to do with the boxing game.

"I am against Darcy for the same reasons he has been barred out of New York and Louisiana," said Coffroth.

POLLY'S ARM IS GETTING BETTER.

Polly McLarry appears to be getting into the pink of condition. His arm, which has been troubling him more or less all this year, is on the well list again and is much better than ever. McLarry has been having some difficulty throwing the pill around the lot on account of this lum wing and is delighted to feel the old-time pep and vinegar again.

STANFORD CALLS OFF MISSOURI MEET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COLUMBIA (Mo.) April 16.—The Leland Stanford-Missouri University track meet, scheduled for May 19, was called off today by Leland Stanford. Whether the University of California will send its team east to meet Missouri here and later take part in the eastern intercollegiate meet has not been learned.

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The Ring.

LEONARD IS WELL LIKED.

Chicago Fans Give Boxer the Once Over.

Is Doped to Give Ritchie Mitchell a Go.

New Yorker is Confident of Winning Match.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—Watching Benny Leonard, New York's star lightweight, in his first local workout at the Arcade Gymnasium today gave the impression that he is the scrapper they say he is. Leonard, accompanied by Manager Billy Gibson and a bunch of helpers, including rooters, got off the train in the morning and in the afternoon Benny got down to the real business at the gym.

Leonard boxed six rounds, three with Charley Scully and the others with Kid Hogan; and he went fast, for speed is what he knows he needs to combat successfully against Richie Mitchell, the pride of Milwaukee, on Thursday at the Milwaukee Auditorium. He showed a pretty fast left, but didn't work the right to any great extent; which was a bit surprising; for Leonard's right is his best weapon on attack.

The deduction gained is that Leonard didn't want to use his best mauler in his first workout against strange sparring partners and that he probably will bring it into play tomorrow. He plans to work ten rounds tomorrow.

Word received from Promoter Tom Andrews indicates a banner crowd will witness the bout. The promoter has arranged the auditorium so that 8400 fans can be seated. The advance sale up to noon was a little more than $20,000, according to Andrews. Seating arrangements have been improved by elevating the north send section, which will permit an unobstructed view of the arena from every seat in the building.

"I know Mitchell is a corker," said Leonard, "but I'll beat him. He may have the wallop in the right and his left may be the marvelous piston rod it is cracked up to be, but I'll have enough to offset his advantages. I am not over-confident, but I know I can lick him. There'll be no alibi if I am beaten Thursday night."

Gibson expressed the general feeling of eastern fans that Leonard would win, although realizing that the task would not be an easy one. "Of course, I consider Benny to be the best lightweight in the business," said Gibson, "and I am making allowance for any natural prejudice I may have. Benny has recovered from his attack of la grippe and will be in top form when he lines up before Mitchell, who, I understand, is in the pink of condition and as confident as Benny that he will win the verdict.

"Leonard has won 50 per cent. of his fights by knockouts and I don't believe any of the lightweights have it on him in the matter of cleverness. He hit twenty-one the 7th of this month and has been in the game since he was 16. Before I took charge of him he was the kingpin of the backyards of New York, and today I think he is the kingpin of the entire shooting match.

"Benny has boxed only three men at his weight—Kilbane, Eddie Wallace and Johnny Dundee. We can't get Kilbane back into the ring for another battle. Johnny has been offered a match at a weight as low as 132 pounds ringside, but he has passed it up. There is no doubt in my mind that Kilbane wants no more of Leonard's game."

ANGELS TO CLASH WITH TIGERS TODAY.

Frank Chance and his Angels are back from the frozen north, meaning snowy Salt Lake, and will play the Vernon Tigers at Washington Park in the opening battle of a seven-game series.

This will be the first meeting of the season between the two old rivals and the game should be a warm one. It brings together on the field of battle Frank Chance and George Stovall. The two have never met officially on the Washington Park diamond.

George Stovall, 'ycleept the Firebrand, announced yesterday that Roy Mitchell would be on the firing line for the Tigers. Mitchell is one of the best heavers on the Coast and two runs look like a lopsided score behind him. He does not believe in allowing an opposing team more than four hits and takes the keenest delight in scattering these out in five different innings.

Chance will send the veteran, Jack Ryan, to the mound. Last year Ryan had the Indian sign hung on Vernon. They simply could do nothing with his shoots.

The Angels will also meet several old team-mates in the persons of Polly McLarry and Jim Galloway.

JOHNNY DUNDEE VICTOR OVER JOHNNY MEALEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Johnny Dundee was the popular victor over Johnny Mealey, the elongated local featherweight, in six active rounds at the Olympic Athletic Club tonight. The boys, both fast and fairly clever, battled at top speed from the first bell and had the house in an uproar throughout the milling. Dundee concentrated his attack on Mealey's body, and it was his effectiveness at infighting, or perhaps the local lad's poor defense, that earned him the honors.

Mealey had Dundee's number at long range and in the early stages flayed the New Yorker savagely with long lefts and rights. Then Dundee decided on his plan of campaign and during the last three rounds he played for Mealey's body and experienced little difficulty getting in close and pounding away at his mark.

Two knockouts featured the preliminaries, Young Joe Borrell of this city stopping Joe Brennan of Wilmington in the fourth round, while Jimmy McCabe made Frankie Ness quit in the third. Joe Hirst easily defeated Jack Andrews of Buffalo in the semi-wind-up, and in the other bout Hathy Broderick of New York trounced Eddie Wagond of this city.

Back among friends again.

Mrs. Walter Ellis, formerly of this city, who has returned after a year in Chicago. While in the East Mrs. Ellis won the Michigan State title, was runner up in the Tri-State tourney and won several other tournaments. She will compete at Ojai the latter part of this week.

Ducks.

SWIMMERS FRET OVER DIRECTOR'S HANDICAPS.

BY WARDE FOWLER.

A BUNCH of hungry, water-burning beagles are fretfully pacing the decks of the Los Angeles Athletic Club tank these days. Occasionally they glance at the handicap swimming chart, groan hollowly, and plunge into the chill depths of the green pool.

Director-General Frederick Vance Veith, ruler of the swimming destinies of the L.A.A.C., has hatched up a handicap meet for his water experts for Thursday. He has plastered large handicaps on all the best swimmers and has given the lesser luminaries all the advantage in the world. Hence the worry and discontent on the parft of the plastered ones.

"PIE."

"Pie" Goodman is an excellent example of what a handicap will do to a guy. Jack Kilburn, the little go-get-'em in the sprints, has been awarded a two-second start over Godman in the 50-yard dash. Every time Goodman thinks of this, it brings a distorted expression to his face and tears to his eyes. For Kilburn is stepping the 50 in 25 3-5s., and this is only a second behind the mark of the faster man.

Kilburn and Goodman have both been working their heads off for the coming fray. Goodman can think of nothing worse than to be licked by Kilburn, and the latter claims that he will win or sink to the bottom of the tank and stay there.

According to precedent, the winner of the race will receive a $0.25 pie, weighing approximately four pounds, in addition to the regular gold medal. And if there is one thing that simply fascinates Goodman, it is a pie. This young man can take charge of a wild pie and throw it flat on its back in less than ten seconds.

Kilburn, being somewhat of a pie hound himself, is desirous of winning the tid-bit.

L. and V. Sternbergh will also compete for the pie in the sprints and will force the headliners to hit the ceiling to win.

To all intents and purposes, L. Sternbergh is a world champion. This interesting fact was discovered yesterday by Prof. Veith. Sternbergh was demonstrating his ability as an under-water swimmer and Veith absent-mindedly put a stop-watch on him. Sternbergh coasted down the length of the tank, completely under water, turned around and came back to the fifty-yard mark. Veith clicked the watch and nearly fainted when he read the result, 29 4-5s. "Has any one ever

(Continued on Second Page.)

Fights.

MIKE DOLL TO TEST WALLOP.

Intends to Use Punch on One Cliff Jordan.

Latter may Spring Surprise on Slugger.

Willie Hunefeld is Favored by Fans to Win.

BY KAY OWE.

A tasty morsel has been arranged for the thrill-loving fans who congregate at the Vernon Arena this evening. Mike Doll, the knockout pride of Southern California, will attempt to place one of his famous blows on the chin of Cliff Jordan. If he succeeds, Jordan will probably land out in the unexplored wilds of the 50-cent seats.

Jordan is a tough young man who puts to shame the old axiom, "Look before you leap." Jordan leaps, punches and side-steps before he looks and usually gets away with it. He starts in at the sound of the gong and has to be turned off at the conclusion of the round. And his punch is not an affair to trifle with. If it ever reaches its mark, it tells a story in a clear and decisive manner. Many a rising pugilist has been put out of the limelight by this same swat.

Mike Doll is a man of few words and blows. He figures that a single hook, properly administered, is worth many half-hearted attempts. When Mike starts, he retreats to the ropes, dangles his right arm out over the edge of the stage, gets it swinging in a wide circle and makes a dive for his opponent. If the punch goes home, the opposition usually gets dragged out by the heels.

Mike also has a mean eye with which he glares at his brother pugilists and thereby gains a distinct advantage.

Giving the headline event an awful race, Willie Hunefeld and Leo Houck tackle each other in the semi-windup. Both of these youths are full of pep and ambition and they are very apt to tear each other to pieces. Hunefeld is a favorite, due to his long string of victories. He is one of the most popular men at Vernon these days and is one of the cleanest little fighters in the game.

Leo Houck put up a clever exhibition a few weeks ago and will undoubtedly give Hunefeld something to think about. This bout should be a pure boxing match as both men favor the in-and-out style of fighting.

In the preliminary line, Matchmaker Wad Wadhams has fairly outdone himself.

The Smiley-Davis affair has all the ear marks of a battle royal. These gents almost ripped the arena apart a few weeks ago and were given a draw decision by the excited judges. Davis is firmly convinced that he is the better man and has negotiated a return match. Smiley was nothing loath to sign up and the bout ought to startle the oldest native in the place.

Young Frenchie, a speedy little guy, will go after Kid Henry in the second best preliminary. Frenchie is a wild-man when he gets started and usually steps all around his opponents.

The other features on the programme are as follows: Scotty vs. Thomas, 133 pounds; Lincoln vs. Davis, 122 pounds.

Harry Lee will strive to keep order and regulate the action.

ROTH AND GOLD HIT THE SLIDE.

Abe Roth and Max Gold hit the slide yesterday afternoon. These two demons tackled Carl Brandstetner and Hal Roach in a wild handball battle, with the following adverse results: 21-8, 5-21, 21-11.

This is the initial match in the 1917 doubles tournament.

Brandstetner and Roach were calmly practicing a few strokes yesterday in the L.A.A.C. courts when Roth and Gold happened along and suggested that their match be played then and there. All four agreed that circumstances were auspicious for the battle, and the fight was on.

Brandstetner was afflicted with a bum hand, which seemed to speed up his game rather than detract from it. Roach was hitting the ball all over the court. Even at that Roth and Gold claim they were talked out of the match rather than defeated.

TROUT PLENTIFUL IN SESPE, SAYS HASLETT.

R. L. Haslett, who sways the athletic destinies of Poly, has returned from the Sespe and reports that the upper waters of that long stream are simply thick with trout.

Haslett owns a canyon or a ravine or a mountain slide which he has rented from the government. Every week-end the director-general and field marshal of the Mechanic forces steals away from his strenuous duties and seeks relaxation near the mountains, the streams and the sky.

"You can say," said he, "for me that if people want fish they better go to the Sespe. Why, I saw bear tracks up there. You know what a bear prowls around for? Fish."

In addition to owning a beautiful stream full of deep, cool pools, R. L. is convinced that his land is rich in mineral ores and oil. He expects any day to see a ledge of gold shoot out of the water or an oil gusher turn loose, flooding the whole section with the money fluid.

Will he last?

Cliff Jordan, the hard-hitting young man, who will attempt to stay four rounds with Knockout Mike Doll. This interesting mystery will be solved at the Vernon arena this evening.

FREE LANCE KILLED IN HORSE FIGHT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) April 16.—Free Lance, by Imp Alvescot, out of Merry Heart, winner of the Latonia Derby in 1912, was killed in a terrific battle with Ralph, another thoroughbred, at Bashford Manor, the home of George J. Long, his owner, near here yesterday. Mr. Long, it is said, had refused $25,000 for the animal, which, according to horsemen, easily was the champion 3-year-old in his derby-winning year.

MEXICAN AUTO CLUB TO BUILD NEW ROADS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE (Md.) April 16.—Among the score of motor clubs and several thousand members admitted to the American Automobile Association at today's session of its executive board was the Club Automobilista Jalisciense of Guadalajara, Mex. The Guadalajara Club explains that its principal activity will be to bring about early building of highways so that there will be a more complete exchange of "commercial Socialists between the two countries and the better knowing of each other."

Country Clubs.

GOLF ENTRIES CLOSE TONIGHT.

Play to Begin in the Small Morning Hours.

Armstrong and Phillips to be Early Birds.

Midwick Course is in Rare Shape for Tourney.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

The Southern California amateur championship opens on the links of the Midwick Country Club with a 36-hole qualifying round tomorrow, Wednesday morning. The entry list closes this evening. Plays begin at 8:30 a.m., tomorrow, when E. S. Armstrong and Morris Phillips will drive off from the first tee.

At 8:33 o'clock they will be followed by Artie Shafer and C. H. Palmer, the two new stars in the firmament, both of whom are considered championship possibilities—C. H. Palmer on his Los Angeles invitation tournament laurels and his maintenance of the standard, and Artie Shafer on his Brentwood 70 and his new found peace of mind.

At 8:36 o'clock E. N. Wright and Judge Frederickson will drive off, followed at three-minute intervals by Alexander Macdonald and Larry Cowing, H. G. Major and Elmer Ralphs, J. C. Niven and R. J. Cash, W. W. Campbell and Frank D. Tatum, Murray Vosburg and Capt. W. R. Wharton, J. T. Gilmer and Walter R. Leeds, P. H. Smith and Lee Collins, John P. Cudahy and Winsor B. Walton, Robin D. Skelley and George Cline, Edward B. Tufts and Thomas McCall, Victor Kleinberger and F. B. Browning, A. C. Sellery and Dr. West Hughes, W. E. Harper and Warren Beckwith, Nelson Barker and Robert E. Hunter.

That was all the pairings that were completed yesterday and the rest will be made tonight when the final entries are in. So large an entry is anticipated that half of the players will start from the tenth tee. So far the following couples have been paired for that tee; F. F. Carpenter and W. L. Valentine, Normond M. Murray and A. C. Twist, Llewellyn Bixby and C. N. Dale, J. W. Walker and M. Abernathy.

The Midwick course, being incomparable, especially if you are a member of Midwick, and the management of the tournament being in the able hands of the association committee and a contingent of hospitable Middicans, what more could providence do for an undeserving golfer?

CHARLIE EBBETS A REAL TIGHTWAD.

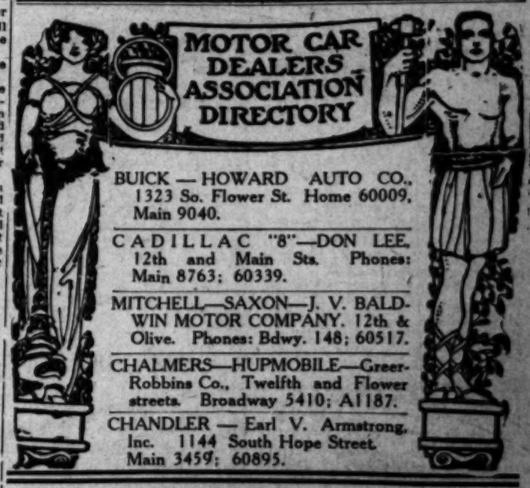
[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—"Why that would mean we would have to pay 8 cents for every 75-cent seat sold in the park."

This was the comment of Charlie Ebbets, owner of the Brooklyn Dodgers, on the proposed Federal war tax of 1 cent on every 10 cents taken in at baseball parks. The eagle screaming gag was first told about Ebbets.

"This tax practically amounts to confiscation," he said. "It will add $25,000 to the quarter-million taxes we have to pay now before we start making money.

"Of course we want to be patriotic, but I can't see how we can avoid dividing this cost up with the fans."



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M'GRAW'S GIANTS SHUT OUT BROOKLYN DODGERS.

Schupp Pitches Effective Ball and has Excellent Support—Alexander is Beaten—Ping Bodie Turns Loose with the Bat — Pirates Land on Matty's Cincinnati Reds—White Sox Win.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

Swede Risberg of the White Sox,

The original tough guy and smart Aleck of the Vernon teams last year, who has developed into one of the finds of the year. While playing for the White Sox Swede is keeping Zeb and Fred McMullen on the bench.

BROOKLYN, April 16.—New York shut out Brooklyn, 5 to 0, today. Schupp pitched effective ball throughout and received perfect support. Manager Robinson released three players, Getz going to Cincinnati, Mails to Pittsburgh and Malone to St. Paul.

Score:

NEW YORK.	AB	R	H	O	A
Burns,lf	4	0	0	5	0
Herzog,2b	4	0	2	0	2
Fletcher,rf	4	0	0	2	0
Evans,3b	2	1	0	0	4
Fletcher,ss	2	2	2	2	1
Kauff,cf	2	2	2	2	0
Nurnay,cf	0	0	0	2	0
Holke,1b	3	0	2	10	1
McCarty,c	3	0	0	2	1
Schupp,p	4	0	0	1	1
Totals	29	5	8	27	10

BROOKLYN.	AB	R	H	O	A
Fabrique,ss	3	0	2	4	2
J'ston,cf	4	0	0	1	0
Merkle,1b	4	0	0	11	0
Wheat,lf	4	0	0	1	0
Stengel,rf	4	0	1	1	0
C'shaw,2b	4	0	1	3	3
Olson,3b	2	0	0	0	4
Meyers,c	3	0	0	7	1
Miller,c	1	0	0	0	1
Cadore,p	1	0	0	0	1
Cheney,p	0	0	0	0	0
During,p	0	0	0	0	0
Myers,x	1	0	0	0	0
H'mac,xx	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	0	5	27	15

x—Batted for Cadore in sixth.
xx—Batted for Cheney in eighth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
New York	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	—5
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Fabrique, Cutshaw. Three-base hit—Holke. Stolen base—Herzog. Bases on balls—Off Cadore, 4; off Cheney, 1; off Schupp, 1. Innings pitched—By Cadore, 6; by Cheney, 2. Struck out—By Cadore, 6; by Schupp, 2.

PIRATES LAND ON THREE RED HEAVERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CINCINNATI (O.) April 16.—Pittsburgh hit three Cincinnati pitchers hard and timely here today and won easily, 8 to 4. Hinchman made a triple, a double and a single in five trips to the plate.

Score:

PITTSBURGH.	AB	R	H	O	A
Bigbee,lf	5	2	2	1	0
Carey,cf	3	2	1	3	0
Whitted,rf	5	1	2	2	1
H'man,1b	5	1	3	12	0
Baird,2b	4	1	2	3	2
Wagner,ss	4	1	0	2	6
Ward,c	2	0	0	4	3
McCarthy,3b	3	0	1	2	2
Cooper,p	4	0	0	0	1
Totals	35	8	10	27	9

CINCINNATI.	AB	R	H	O	A
Costa,lf	4	1	2	3	0
Groh,2b	5	1	2	1	3
Roth,3b	3	0	0	0	1
Chase,1b	3	0	1	12	0
Bruggy,cf	4	1	2	2	0
Neale,rf	4	0	1	2	0
Knetzer,p	1	0	0	0	2
Ruhm,c	4	0	1	5	1
Mitchell,p	1	0	0	0	2
Kneitzer,p	1	0	0	0	0
Eller,p	0	0	0	0	1
Clarke,x	1	1	1	0	0
Rhoades,xx	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	10	27	14

x—Batted for Kneitzer in seventh.
xx—Batted for Eller in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Pittsburgh	0	3	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	—8
Cincinnati	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	—4

SUMMARY.

Errors—Carey, Ward, Kopf, 2. Two-base hits—Bigbee, Costa, 2; Hinchman. Three-base hits—Hinchman, Carey, Rhoads. Stolen bases—Baird, Carey, Schulte, 2. Double plays—Ward to Hinchman; Ward to McCarthy to Hinchman. Bases on balls—Off Cooper, 1; off Knetzer, 1; off Eller, 2. Innings pitched—By Mitchell, 2; by Knetzer, 4. Struck out—By Cooper, 1; by Mitchell, 1; by Eller, 2.

BARNES OUTPITCHES ALEX THE GREAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BOSTON, April 16.—Barnes outpitched Alexander today and Boston defeated Philadelphia, 2 to 1. The local twirler also was forced to contend against the poor fielding of Maranville and Evers.

Score:

PHILADELPHIA.	AB	R	H	O	A
Paulett,cf	3	1	0	1	0
Bancroft,ss	4	0	2	2	4
Whitted,lf	2	0	0	2	0
Luderus,1b	4	0	0	6	0
M'Graw,x	0	0	0	0	0
Cravath,rf	4	0	0	1	0
Stock,3b	3	0	1	2	3
Tragy,2b	3	0	1	3	3
Killefer,c	4	0	0	7	0
Alexander,p	2	0	0	0	2
Cooper,xx	1	0	0	0	0
Oeschger,p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	4	24	11

BOSTON.	AB	R	H	O	A
M'ville,ss	4	1	2	5	3
Evers,2b	4	0	0	1	4
Salley,rf	4	1	1	2	0
Magee,lf	4	0	1	1	0
K'eichy,1b	3	0	2	11	2
Smith,3b	3	0	0	0	1
Kelly,cf	3	0	0	3	1
Gowdy,c	3	0	0	6	1
Barnes,p	3	0	0	1	2
Totals	31	2	4	27	14

x—Ran for Luderus in ninth.
xx—Batted for Alexander in eighth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—1
Boston	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	x	—2

SUMMARY.

Errors—Maranville, 2; Evers, 2; Smith. Two-base hits—Gowdy, Kopetchy. Three-base hits—Maranville, Bailey, Konetchy. Double plays—Evers to Konetchy; Konetchy to Maranville to Konetchy; Kelly to Maranville; Alexander to Stock to Bancroft to Stock to Bancroft. Bases on balls—Off Barnes, 2. Innings pitched—By Alexander, 7; Struck out—By Alexander, 3; by Oeschger, 1; by Barnes, 3.

PITCHER RUETHER IS PLAYING FIRST BASE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO (Ill.) April 16.—Chicago was unable to bunch hits off Meadows today and St. Louis won again 5 to 1. Pitcher Ruether was at first base and made a creditable showing.

Score:

ST. LOUIS.	AB	R	H	O	A
Baecher,lf	4	1	1	0	0
Betzel,2b	4	1	2	0	0
Long,rf	4	1	1	5	0
Miller,1b	4	0	2	13	0
Hornsby,ss	4	0	1	1	5
Cruise,3b	4	1	1	2	0
Smith,3b	4	0	1	4	3
Snyder,c	3	0	0	2	0
Meadows,p	4	1	0	0	2
Totals	35	5	8	27	10

CHICAGO.	AB	R	H	O	A
Zeider,2b	4	0	0	0	3
Wolter,rf	4	0	1	2	0
Doyle,3b	4	0	1	1	2
Mann,lf	3	0	1	1	0
Williams,cf	3	0	1	6	0
Reuther,1b	3	0	0	9	0
W'man,ss	4	0	0	1	0
Wilson,c	2	0	1	5	1
Vaughn,p	1	0	0	0	1
Flack,x	0	0	0	0	0
Carter,p	0	0	0	0	1
D'h'fer,xx	1	1	0	0	0
P'egast,p	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	30	1	5	27	9

x—Batted for Vaughn in fifth.
xx—Batted for Carter in eighth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
St. Louis	1	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	—5
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1

SUMMARY.

Errors—Meadows, Wortman. Two-base hit—Cruise. Three-base hit—Snyder. Stolen base—Betzel. Double plays—Hornsby to Betzel to Miller; Smith to Betzel to Miller. Innings pitched—By Vaughn, 5; by Carter, 3. Struck out—By Vaughn, 3; by Meadows, 2; by Prendergast, 1.

PING BODIE HITS, BUT RED SOX WIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA (Pa.) April 16.—Boston had no difficulty in defeating Philadelphia today 6 to 1. Bodie got a double and two singles.

Score:

BOSTON.	AB	R	H	O	A
Hooper,rf	4	1	2	2	0
Barry,2b	4	1	1	2	2
H'ltzel,1b	4	0	0	8	0
Lewis,lf	4	0	1	2	0
Walker,cf	4	0	0	1	1
Gardner,3b	3	1	1	1	0
Scott,ss	3	0	0	3	5
Thomas,c	3	2	2	9	0
Ruth,p	4	0	1	0	2
Totals	33	6	8	27	10

PHILADELPHIA.	AB	R	H	O	A
Witt,m	5	1	1	1	3
Schang,c	4	0	1	4	0
Bodie,lf	4	0	3	1	0
Strunk,cf	3	0	1	2	0
Thrasher,rf	3	0	1	2	0
W'son,rf	0	0	0	0	0
M'Innis,1b	4	0	1	12	1
Bates,2b	4	0	1	2	2
Lavan,2b	2	0	0	0	2
Dewer,2b	0	0	0	0	0
Seibold,p	1	0	0	0	1
Nabors,p	0	0	0	0	0
K'fmann,p	0	0	0	0	0
Meyers,x	1	0	0	0	0
Haley,xx	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	1	8	27	17

x—Batted for Nabors in fourth.
xx—Batted for Thrasher in eighth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Boston	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	—6
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—1

SUMMARY.

Errors—Gardner, Schang, Bates. Two-base hits—Thomas, Schang, Bodie. Three-base hits—Thomas, Lewis. Double plays—Scott to Barry to Hollitzel; Schang to Bates. Bases on balls—Off Ruth, 4; of Seibold, 2; of Nabors, 1; of K. Johnson, 1. Innings pitched—By Seibold, 7; by Nabors, 1. Struck out—By Ruth, 7; by Seibold, 1; by K. Johnson, 2.

FABER SHUTS OUT DETROIT'S TIGERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DETROIT, April 16.—Faber held Detroit to two hits today and Chicago won 4 to 0. After a bad first inning Carroll Jones pitched well for Detroit.

Score:

CHICAGO.	AB	R	H	O	A
Leibold,rf	3	1	0	0	0
Risberg,ss	4	0	0	0	4
F. C'lins,2b	3	1	1	3	5
Jackson,lf	4	0	2	2	0
Felsch,cf	4	1	1	2	0
Gandil,1b	3	0	0	16	0
Weaver,3b	3	1	2	0	2
Schalk,c	3	1	2	7	0
Faber,p	2	0	0	1	2
Totals	30	4	7	27	14

DETROIT.	AB	R	H	O	A
Bush,ss	3	0	1	3	4
Young,2b	4	0	0	1	5
Cobb,rf	4	0	1	3	0
Veach,lf	4	0	0	1	1
Heilman,cf	3	0	0	3	0
Burns,1b	3	0	0	12	0
R. Jones,3b	3	0	0	2	2
Stanage,c	3	0	0	7	0
C. Jones,x	1	0	0	0	0
Cun'ham,p	0	0	0	0	0
Crawford,x	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	2	27	14

x—Batted for C. Jones in eighth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	—4
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

SUMMARY.

Error—Cunningham. Two-base hits—Jackson, Cobb. Stolen bases—Leibold, 2; Weaver, 2. Double play—Bush to Burns. Bases on balls—Off Jones, 4; off Faber, 2. Innings pitched—By C. Jones, 7; by Cunningham, 1; by Faber, 2.

STANDINGS AND RESULTS.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
San Francisco	10	4	.714
Los Angeles	6	3	.545
Vernon	7	7	.500
Salt Lake	5	5	.500
Portland	6	7	.462
Oakland	4	9	.308

Today's Games.
Vernon at Los Angeles.
Salt Lake at San Francisco.
Oakland at Portland.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
New York	3	0	1000
Philadelphia	2	1	.666
St. Louis	4	2	.666
Chicago	3	3	.500
Cincinnati	3	3	.500
Pittsburgh	2	4	.333
Boston	1	2	.333
Brooklyn	0	3	.000

Yesterday's Results.
New York, 5; Brooklyn, 0.
Pittsburgh, 8; Cincinnati, 4.
St. Louis, 5; Chicago, 1.
Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
Chicago	4	1	.800
Boston	3	1	.750
Cleveland	3	1	.750
Washington	2	1	.666
New York	1	2	.333
Philadelphia	1	3	.250
St. Louis	1	3	.250
Detroit	1	4	.200

Yesterday's Results.
Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 1.
Chicago, 4; Detroit, 0.
Cleveland-St. Louis, wet grounds.
New York-Washington, cold.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
Indianapolis	6	0	1000
Kansas City	4	0	1000
Milwaukee	2	1	.666
Louisville	4	2	.666
Minneapolis	2	2	.500
Columbus	2	4	.333
St. Paul	0	3	.000
Toledo	0	6	.000

Yesterday's Results.
St Paul, 2; Kansas City, 3.
Toledo, 4; Louisville, 10.
Columbus, 3; Indianapolis, 4.
Minneapolis-Milwaukee, game postponed; cold weather.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Club—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
New Orleans	5	0	1000
Birmingham	4	1	.800
Chattanooga	3	1	.750
Little Rock	3	2	.600
Memphis	2	3	.400
Atlanta	2	3	.400
Nashville	1	3	.250
Mobile	0	5	.000

Yesterday's Results.
New Orleans, 6; Memphis, 1.
Little Rock, 2; Nashville, 0.
Atlanta, 8; Mobile, 5.
Birmingham, 5; Chattanooga, 2.

FAR-WESTERN MEET WILL NOT BE HELD.

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—According to a rumor that has been floating around this city, the Far-western track and field meet, scheduled to take place at San Jose the latter part of the summer, will be called off on account of the war. Many schools had refused to enter athletes in the big affair and about the only thing to do was to declare the meet off.

Princeton University with the new Palmer track and the new university dining halls feels that they now have facilities and equipment for future intercollegiate track and field meets.

Swimmers Fret.

(Continued from First Page.)

swam a fifty under water before against time?" asked Veith in an excited manner, when Sternbergh came to the surface.

DISCOVERED.

"Not that I know of," aswered the modest hero.

"Then," decided Veith, "you're a world champion."

It's a bum day that Veith can't discover a world champion or so before breakfast. If the worst comes to the worst, he can hatch up a new event, get some one to swim it, and declare him the champion of the world in the vent. As no one ever thought of the stunt before there can be no argument. Practically every swimmer on the L.A.A.C. lists is the champion of the world in something or other.

In the 220-yard dash, Guy Sylvester promises to show the winning speed. Sylvester will swim scratch with Lyons and the race should be one of the niftiest on the bill. Both of these youths have been spending much of their time in the L.A.A.C. pool lately, and are in excellent shape for the long go.

To furnish a new thrill for the fans, Jerry Witt will swim the 500-yard even against a flock of interesting competition. Witt has agreed to give all his opponents a minute head start. He will then attempt to lap the bunch before the race is over.

Witt is back in his old form, and would give Ludy Langer or Ross a terrible time, according to V. Veith.

Buck, Vint and Messenger will do the honors in the breast stroke. This 200-yard grind is one of the toughest swimming events made, and one of the most sensational. With these three men in the field the winner should have an interesting time.

CONCLUSION.

Bill Williams and Priestc are slated to spellbind the crowd in the fancy high diving. Williams is the best diver in the country and needs no introduction. Priests is a newcomer—an actor of the Keystone studio—and he looks like the genuine article. Priestc has not perfected all the dives as yet, but he shows improvement every time he enters the water. Veith is thrilled over this gent, and claims that he will make him some sort of a world champion yet.

Thursday evening has been selected as a favorable time for this water carnival. The admission is free to club members and their guests.

"This meet will have the South African cocoa crop nipped in the bean," concluded V. Veith.

PREP BASEBALL BATTLES TODAY.

Two high-class baseball games will be played in the Interscholastic league today. Hollywood and Manual Arts and Polytechnic take a swing at Lincoln.

All of these teams have been showing respectable baseball and some excellent [illegible] run off. The Hollywood-Manual Arts struggle should be [illegible] In spite of the fact that they have been running up [illegible] luck throughout the season, and Lincoln will have a [illegible] tle for the initial honors.

The first game [illegible] pion Lee Axworthy, [illegible] Cloth of Gold, 2:30.

On the Range.

RIFLE EXPERTS GROUCH AROUND AND PLAN SE[illegible]

BY E. C. CROSSMAN.

NEXT Sunday's shoot over at the L. A. Rifle and Revolver Club ought to be worth the price of admission if they use all the things they were trying out privately and grouchily Sunday. This, being an off day 'twixt shoots for the Gardiner, Price and Cooke trophies, and being without a cruel person keeping scores, was devoted to workouts of scopes and new iron sights and mounts and holds and ammunition designed and intended to hang it on the other person in the next trophy shoot. A cold and unfeeling and fish-tailing wind added to the wild and woolly results.

Col. T. F. Cooke, formerly inspector of rifle practice of the Iowa National Guard, and recruiting officer for Motor Reserve, was on deck trying out a new rifle, and a new rifleman in the person of Cooke, Jr. who being a south-paw, is just finding out that a left-handed man with a bolt action rifle is as comfortable as a shoe on the wrong foot.

Judge J. M. York, with John J. M. York, Jr. aged one year, and his admiring retinue of woman relatives, came out to get off his chest a proud father yarn about the [illegible] Junior finding the [illegible] pistol under a pillow, [illegible] the safety on lost the [illegible] cidentally discharging [illegible] judge favored the crowd [illegible] sight of the young [illegible] the flag. He did—as [illegible] paternal relative [illegible] waved both arms [illegible] and as said relative [illegible] on his lapel, what [illegible] you want?

Next Sunday, at [illegible] club is to be perpetrated [illegible] a film company [illegible] tures that go all over [illegible] the place to rustle [illegible] ladies learning to [illegible] guidance of the expert. For this reason, as [illegible] sex as possible are [illegible] come out, membership [illegible] necessary, and so [illegible] asked of gentlemen [illegible] on the scene with a [illegible]

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[BY A. P. NIGHT W[illegible]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Wall [illegible] street seemed to arrive at a [illegible] more complete realization of [illegible] war situation today, develop[illegible]ments since last Saturday's session [illegible] contributing largely to that end. [illegible] dings as a group were more [illegible] riously affected than any other is[illegible]. Marine preferred dropping 9¾ [illegible]nts on steady offerings to 77½. [illegible] common losing 6¼ at 27⅞ and [illegible]antic Gulf and West Indies declin[illegible] to 7⅛ to 101½, with 6¼ for United [illegible] at 154.

[illegible]nditions and equipments yielded [illegible] to 5 points, United States Steel [illegible]ding a decline of 2⅞, to 119⅝, [illegible] 4⅜ for Bethlehem Steel, new [illegible]. Coppers, leathers, oils, mo[illegible], sugars and fertilizers were [illegible] 1 to 3.

[illegible]ding in rails was relatively [illegible]. Total sales amounted to 680,000 [illegible].

General news touching upon finan[illegible] conditions were favorable in the [illegible] time money shading a trifle, in [illegible] of last Saturday's large cash [illegible] by the local banks.

[illegible]vices from the West reported [illegible]factory business in virtually all [illegible] of trade, with a 5 to 10 per [illegible] increase in tonnage by the rail[illegible].

[illegible]ilroad bonds manifested great[illegible] irregularity, bordering upon [illegible]ness in speculative issues, but

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The first mare bred to pion Lee Axworthy, 1:9 Cloth of Gold, 2:25.

On the Range.

XPERTS GROUCH D AND PLAN SHO

BY E. C. CROSSMAN.

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father yarn about the junior finding the judge's pistol under a pillow, the safety on lest the cidentally discharged. judge favored the audience sight of the young hopeful the flag. He did—at least paternal relative hove waved both arms and as said relative on his lapel, what more you want?

Next Sunday, at 11 club is to be perpetuated a film company making pictures that go all over the the piece de resistance ladies learning to shoot, guidance of the experts of For this reason, as many sex as possible are re come out, membership necessary, and no ques asked of gentlemen who on the scene with a fair re

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Realization by Wall Street of the War Situation Affects Prices Somewhat, but Railroads Report a Ten Per Cent. Increase in Tonnage — Bond Market Irregular, with Internationals Yielding Some of Recent Gains.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Wall street seemed to arrive at a more complete realization of the situation today, developments since last Saturday's session shaping largely to that end. Dealings as a group were more directly affected than any other issues. Marine preferred dropping 9¾ on steady offerings to 77½, common losing 6⅛ at 27⅞ and Gulf and West Indies declining 1¾ to 101½, with 6⅝ for United at 134.

Stations and equipments yielded 1 points, United States Steel a decline of 2⅜, to 110⅜, 4¼ for Bethlehem Steel, new Coppers, leathers, oils, motors and fertilizers were ing. Rails was relatively

sales amounted to 680,000

news touching upon financial conditions were favorable in the time money shading a trifle, in spite of Saturday's large cash by the local banks.

from the West reported ctory business in virtually all of trade, with a 5 to 10 per increase in tonnage by the rail-

bonds manifested great- regularity, bordering upon in speculative issues, but internationals yielded none of their recent gains. Total sales, par value, $8,870,000.

United States and Panama bonds were ½ to 2½ per cent. lower on call.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, April 16, 1917	$ 3,820,000
Same day of week last year	2,080,000
From January 1 to date	$28,480,000
Same period in 1916	300,004,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, April 16, 1917	653,280 shares
Same day of week last year	483,000 shares
From January 1 to date	55,936,710 shares
Same period in 1916	50,529,040 shares

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—Foreign exchange:

	Demand or check.	Cable.
London	4.75	4.76
Paris	5.71¼	5.70¾
Houseking	56.45	56.55
Peking	85.75	85.87½
Shanghai	84.50	84.12½
Holland	41.25	41.31¼
Bombay	32.25	32.31¼
Calcutta	32.25	32.31¼
Italy	7.11¼	7.11
Kobe	50.75	50.81½
Yokohama	50.75	50.81½
Manila	50.12¼	50.25
Russia	29.70	29.80
Copenhagen	26.60	26.70
Stockholm	29.05	29.15
Christiania	29.05	29.75

QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Following are the closing and high and low quotations today:

	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
Adams Express	9	9	11	14
Advance Rumely				
Advance Rumely pfd	25¾	25¾	26	27½
Ajax Rubber	61	59½	60	61
Alaska Gold	2	2	2	2½
Alaska Gold pfd	6	6	6	7
Allis-Chalmers	44¾	44¼	44¾	45
Allis-Chalmers pfd	101	101	100	101¾
Amalgamated Copper	67½	66¾	67¼	67¾
American Agricultural	84	84	84	85
American Beet Sugar	54	54	54	55
American Can	41¾	41¼	41¾	42
American Can pfd	101	101	101	101¾
American Car & Foundry	65	65	65	66
American Car & Foundry pfd				
American Cotton Oil	50	50	50	51
American Hide & Leather	44¾	44¼	44¾	45
American Hide & Leather pfd	90	89½	90	91
American Ice Securities	40	40	40	41
American International	43¾	43¼	43¾	44
American Linseed	46	45¾	46	47
American Linseed pfd	93	93	93	94
American Locomotive	69¾	68¾	69¾	70
American Locomotive pfd	107	107	107	108
American Smelting & Refining	89¾	88¾	89¾	90
American Smelting & Refining pfd	104¾	104¾	104¾	105
American Steel Foundries	49¾	49¾	49¾	50
American Sugar	118¾	118¾	118¾	119
American Sugar pfd	118¾	118¾	118¾	119
American Telephone & Telegraph	118¾	118¾	118¾	119
American Tobacco	78	78	78	79
American Tobacco pfd	95¾	95¾	95¾	96
American Woolen	102¼	101¾	102¼	102¾
Anaconda Copper	39¾	39¼	39¾	40
Atchison	100	100	100	100¼
Atchison pfd	93	93	93	93¼
Atlantic Coast Line	118½	118½	118½	119
Baldwin Locomotive	71¾	71¼	71¾	72
Baltimore & Ohio	84¾	84¼	84¾	85
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	89	88¾	89	89¼
Bethlehem Steel B	67¾	67¼	67¾	68
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	24¾	24¼	24¾	25
Brunswick Terminal	3	3	3	3½
Butte & Superior	70	69¾	70	70¼
Butte Coalition	19¾	19¼	19¾	20
California Petroleum	23¾	23¼	23¾	24
California Petroleum pfd	60¾	60¼	60¾	61
Canadian Pacific	159¾	159¼	159¾	160
Central Leather	107¾	107¼	107¾	108
Central Leather pfd	109¾	109¼	109¾	110
Central of New Jersey	240	240	240	250
Chandler Motor	75¾	75¼	75¾	76
Chesapeake & Ohio	62¾	62¼	62¾	63
Chicago & Alton	15	15	15	15½
Chicago & Alton pfd	41¾	41¼	41¾	42
Chicago & Northwestern	102¾	102¼	102¾	103
Chicago & Northwestern pfd	141¾	141¼	141¾	142
Chicago Great Western	14¾	14¼	14¾	15
Chicago Great Western pfd	29¾	29¼	29¾	30
Chicago Great Western pfd B	27¾	27¼	27¾	28
Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul	84¾	84¼	84¾	85
Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul pfd	113¾	113¼	113¾	114
Chicago Rock Island & Pacific	20¾	20¼	20¾	21
Chicago Rock Island & Pacific pfd	32¾	32¼	32¾	33
Chicago Rock Island & Pacific pfd B	32¾	32¼	32¾	33
Chino Copper	39¾	39¼	39¾	40
Colorado Fuel & Iron	34¾	34¼	34¾	35
Colorado Southern	43¾	43¼	43¾	44
Colorado Southern 1st pfd	79¾	79¼	79¾	80
Colorado Southern 2d pfd	69¾	69¼	69¾	70
Columbia Gas & Electric	57¾	57¼	57¾	58
Columbia Graphophone	3¾	3¼	3¾	4
Columbia Graphophone pfd	25¾	25¼	25¾	26
Consolidated Gas	134¾	134¼	134¾	135
Consolidated Gas pfd	134¾	134¼	134¾	135
Consolidated Interstate Corporation	13¾	13¼	13¾	14
Consolidated Interstate Corporation pfd	61¾	61¼	61¾	62
Corn Products	25¾	25¼	25¾	26
Crucible Steel	70¾	70¼	70¾	71
Cuba Cane Sugar	25¾	25¼	25¾	26
Cuba Cane Sugar pfd	89¾	89¼	89¾	90
Cuba Cane Sugar rights	1¾	1¼	1¾	2
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd B	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd C	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd D	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd E	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd F	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd G	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
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Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd I	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd J	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd K	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd L	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd M	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd N	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd O	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd P	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd Q	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd R	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd S	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd T	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd U	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd V	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
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Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd X	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
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Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd Z	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd AA	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd AB	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
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Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd AP	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
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Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd AX	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd AY	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd AZ	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BA	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BB	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BC	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
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Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BE	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BF	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BG	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BH	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BI	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BJ	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BK	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BL	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd BM	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
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Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd IN	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd IO	2¾	2¼	2¾	3
Cuba Cane Sugar rights pfd IP	2¾

Business Page: Citrus Fruits, Butterand Eggs—Current Trade— Local Produce Markets.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Higher prices for many commodities were incorporated in the Los Angeles produce market yesterday and it looks from present indications as if new altitude records will be established for many years to come before another month has rolled around. Old crop stuff is just winding up and new crops will not begin to be felt in this market before another six weeks. In the mean time, consumers will have to become accustomed to rising costs of foodstuffs. There is no one to blame for the present state of affairs, higher prices being in force from simple labor up to the finished product in manufacturing and agriculture alike. There is a lack of skilled farm labor all over the United States and this has had a great deal to do with the smaller crops during the past two years.

The best grades of potatoes are now bringing 6 cents a pound and all sizes of prunes were boosted another half cent a pound yesterday. Sugar wholesalers have advanced the price of the refined article 20 cents per 100 pounds, this applying to all grades. Meat packers have shot their prices for all products to new heights, although hogs and pork cuts appear to have advanced the highest. Beef is not far behind and veal is the easiest of all meats today.

Consumers no longer are in a position where they can switch from one food article to another as practically all staples are advancing in the same proportion. Bananas are an excellent food at present prices, as the amount of nutriment that can be secured from the banana is much greater for the amount of money involved than many other popular fruits. In order to break the monotony Monday local dealers lowered their prices on fresh peas to 4½ and 5 cents a pound and a few dealers even offered the vegetable at 4 cents.

Eggs remained unchanged at yesterday morning's session of the Produce Exchange, although sales in case count were recorded during the meeting at higher prices than the closing figure of 31 cents a dozen. Receipts comprised 512 cases of eggs, 67,140 pounds of butter, 7340 pounds of cheese, 1719 sacks of potatoes, 408 sacks of onions, 50 sacks of beans and 1263 boxes of apples.

HOME BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 39 per pound; firsts, 37. The selling price to the trade is 4 cents higher than above quotations.

EGGS—Fresh extras, 32; case count, 31; pullets, 29. All eggs sold include cases and fillers, valued at 35 cents.

PRICES CURRENT.

CHEESE—California fresh, 24; eastern daisies, 27; twins, 26; Oregon longhorns, 28; Tillamook triplets, 27; Oregon triplets, 26; domestic Swiss block, 32; wheel, 25@45; Edelweiss limburger, 30@31; Canada cream, 95; German breakfast, 1.00; cream brick, 27; Martin twins, 26; Martin daisies, 27.

CITRUS FRUIT—Oranges, navels, $2.50@3.00; tangerines, 1.50 tub; lemons, 1.75; packed, 2.90; juice, 1.25; grapefruit, extra fancy, 3.00@3.50; limes, 85 basket.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples: Spitzenbergs, 2.10@2.25; Yellow Newtown Pippins, 1.85@2.25; Roman Beauties, 2.25@2.65; Winesaps, 2.35@2.65; bananas, 5¼@5½; lb.; loquats, 12 lb.

BERRIES — Cranberries, Late Howes, 9.00@10.00; strawberries, 10@12 basket.

GREEN VEGETABLES — These quotations are for first-class shipping stock: Alligator pears, 8.00@12.00 doz.; artichokes, 75@85 doz.; as paragus, 7@9 lb.; beets, 45 doz.; cabbage, 6 per lb.; red cabbage, 6 per lb.; carrots, 40 doz.; cauliflower, 1.25 doz., 2.50 crate; celery, 6.00 crate, 1.00@1.25 doz.; chile, 20; hothouse cucumbers, 1.25@2.25 doz.; horseradish root, 15 lb.; onions, 25 doz.; oyster plant, 45 doz.; leeks, 30 doz.; lettuce, 35 doz., 1.50 crate; chicory, 40@50 doz.; parsnips, 50 doz.; peas, 4@5 lb.; bell peppers, 55; spinach, 25 doz.; mint, 40 doz.; radishes, 22; rhubarb, Crimson Winter, 90@1.10; strawberry, 1.40@1.50; romaine, 45 doz.; turnips, 45 doz.; tomatoes, 2.25 crate, 2.30@2.50 lug.

POTATOES—Northern, 6.00; local, 4.25@5.50; new, 8 lb.; sweet potatoes, 7½ lb.

BEANS—(Per 100 lbs.) Pink, No. 1, 12.75@13.00; Lady Washington, 16.00; small white, 16.00; limas, No. 1, 16.00; Manchurian reds, 16.00; Baby Mexicans, 9.00; tepary, 11.00; black eyes, 9.00@10.00; Garvanzas, 8.00@8.50; lentils, 22.00.

ONIONS AND CHILE—Strings, 21; Jap chile, 20; loose, 20; chile telpin, 8; chile tepic, 8; brown onions, 11 lb.

HONEY—Comb white, 12½; water white, 14½; light amber, 12½@14; extracted, amber, 8½@9; white, 8½@9½; water white, 10@11; beeswax, 32 lb.

DRIED FRUIT — (25-lb boxes, faced, 50s, ½c less.) Apples, evaporated, 50s, choice, 9½; extra choice, 11; extra choice, 25s, 11½; apricots, choice, 17; extra choice, 17½; fancy, 18; peaches, choice, 9; extra choice, 9½; fancy, 10; prunes, 20-30s, 11½; 30-40s, 12; 40-50s, 11½; 50-60s, 11½; 60-70s, 11½; 70-80s, 11; 80-90s, 10; 90-100s, 9½; citron, 20 lb.; lemon peel, 28; orange peel, 20; evaporated pears, 12½.

RAISINS, FIGS AND DATES—Raisins, seeded, 36 16-oz. fancy, 10; fancy, 12-oz., 8½; Not-a-Seed, 48 12-oz., 9; L.L., 2-crown, 1.85; 4-crown, 2.15; 25-lb., extra choice, seeded, 2.25; 48 1-lb. Sun Maid, 4.75 case; seedless Sultanas, 10; Thompson bleached, 50s, 13½; loose muscatel, 50s, 2-crown, 4.90; 3-crown, 4.25; 4-crown, 4.50; vineyard run, 50-lb. boxes, 4.00. Figs, 6-oz. pkgs., 2.75; 5-layer, 1.75 box; bulk figs, 25-lb. boxes, black, 2.50; white, 2.75. Dates, Golden, 60s, 15; Fard, 60s, 17; 12s, 20; Dromedary, 36s, 4.25.

NUTS—New almonds, fancy, IXL, 19@20; No Plus Ultra, 18½@19; peanuts, large, 10; cocoanuts, per doz., 1.15@1.25; Alberts, 19@20; Brazils, 22; walnuts, Asso. No. 1, 19@19½; Jumbo, 19½@20; budded, 23; orchard run, 15; Manchurian walnuts, 15 lb.; pine, 20 lb.; hickory, 8 lb.; eastern popcorn, 6½@7; yellow popcorn, 7; peanuts, raw, 10; parched, 11.

RICE—(Per 100 lbs.) Extra fancy head, Carolina, 7.00@7.25; Patna, 7.00@7.50; fancy head, 7.25; Blue Rose, 6.00@6.50; Red Rose, 5.00@5.50; Japanese, 6.75@7.50; California, 7.50; Italian, 6.00; China, No. 1, 6.75@7.50; brewers', 3.50@4.00; broken, 4.00@4.50; rice bran, 35.00 ton; rice middlings, 40.00 ton; rice polish, 42.00 ton.

Provision List.

LIVE STOCK—Following are prices f.o.b. shipping point: No. 1 fed steers, 900 to 1200 lbs., 10; seconds, 9½; No. 1 fed cows and heifers, 8; seconds, 7@7½; good bulls and stags, 6@6½; common bulls, 6@6¼; calves, 6@6½; light calves, 10½; sheep, ewes, 9.50; suckling lambs, 13.00. Following quotations are based on delivered prices weighed off cars f.o.b. Los Angeles: Hogs, choice grain fed, 100 to 200 lbs., 12@12¼; 150 to 175 lbs., 12¾@12¾; 175 to 225 lbs., 12¾@13.

POULTRY—Prices to producers: Broilers, 26@28; fryers, 30; roasters, 28; old cocks, 19; hens, 21@22; turkeys, hens, 24@26; toms, 27@30; ducklings, 22; young geese, 22. Selling price to trade is 3 cents higher than above quotations.

MUTTON—Wethers, 55 lbs. and under, 16; No. 2, 17; ewes, 55 lbs. and under, 17; No. 2, 16.

LAMBS—Plain milk, 40 lbs. and under, 22; No. 2, 20.

BEEF—No. 1 steers, 15½; medium steers, 13½; No. 1 cows, 14½; No. 2 cows, 13½; steer hindquarters, No. 1, 17; cows, 16; forequarters, 13½; short loins, 25@26; loins, No. 1, 22; medium loins, 21; No. 1 8-rib cut, 19; No. 2 8-rib cut, 17; loin butts, 21; short chux, 17; full chux, 12½; triangles, 12; plates, 10½; cow rounds and rumps, 15½; steer rounds and rumps, 12½.

VEAL—Heavy, 16; light, 18.

PORK—Dressed hogs, heads on, 19½; heads off, 20½; trimmed hogs, 23; loins, fresh, 24; leg, fresh, 23½; picnics, fresh, 19; bellies, 23; leaf lard, 20.

HAMS—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 25½; fancy, 24½; medium, 22@23; skinned, extra fancy, 27; boiled, fancy, 34½; medium, boiled, 32½.

BACON—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 30@31; fancy, 26@26½; narrow, 24; bacon backs, 21; boneless butts, 21; picnics, 16; boned picnics, 19.

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS—D.S. bellies, 28; D.S. clear backs, 22; D.S. fat backs, 22; beef tongues, 38; do., boiled, 40; insides, 36; dried beef knuckles, 34.

FRESH FISH — Wholesale price per pound: Barracuda, 10; halibut, 9; rock cod, 7; sand dabs, 9; salmon, 20; mackerel, 9; smelt, 8@10; tuna, 6; carp, 6; cockles, 7; bonita, 6; blue perch, 7; sole, 8; mussels, 5; smoked albacore, 12½; striped bass, 20; clams, 7; bulk oysters, 1.60 a hundred; quart oysters, 6.50 doz.; California oysters, 60 a hundred; lobsters, 26@28; scallops, 5.50 a gallon; crabs, 3.50@4.00 doz.; salmon trout, 25@27; yellowtail, 10; picked shrimps, 60; catfish, 18.

SUGAR—(Per 100 pounds.) Prices quoted below are for the city of Los Angeles and are based on sacks; barrels, add 10 cents; ½ barrels, 25 cents; boxes, 50 cents; bales, 25s, 10 cents; 10s, 15 cents; 5s, 20 cents; 2s, 30 cents. All prices are net cash, less 15 cents a hundredweight if invoices dated from the first to the fifteenth of the month, inclusive, are paid not later than the twenty-fifth of the same month, or if dated from the sixteenth to the last day of the month are paid not later than the tenth of the following month: Beet, granulated, 8.55; standard cane, 8.75; standard berry, 8.75.

Wheat FLOUR—Quoted by bbls. Capitol Milling Co.: Capitol, 11.20; Eclipse, 10.60; Trophy, 10.20; No. 1 hard bakers', 12.20; bakers' extra blend and California wheat bakers', 11.00; Our Giant, 10.90; Eclipse, 10.20. Los Angeles Milling Co.: Forex, 11.20; Purity, 10.60; Morning Glory, 10.20; Forex bakers' extra, 11.00; bakers' pastry, 10.20.

GRAIN AND FEED—Per 100 lbs.: Alfalfa meal, 1.60; alfalfa molasses, 1.65; barley, rolled, 2.00; ground barley meal, 3.30; recleaned barley, 3.05; corn, whole yellow, 3.65; whole white corn, 3.75; corn, cracked, 3.70; Egyptian corn, 3.65; white feed oats, 2.95; bran, 2.35; shorts, 2.95; No. 1 wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 4.05; cracked wheat, 4.40; Milo maize, 3.65; oilcake meal, 3.00; rye feed, 2.75; rolled oats, 3.00; buckwheat, 4.50; molasses beet pulp, 1.70; steam-dried beet pulp, 1.70; feed meal, 3.75.

HAY—Alfalfa, 18.00@20.00 ton; barley hay, 18.00@21.00; tame oat hay, 19.00@24.00; stock hay, 15.00. The above quotations are furnished by the Newmark Grain Company and are prices f.o.b. Los Angeles, paid to producers for ordinary stock. Fancy grades bring 2.00 to 5.00 per ton more.

Oil List.

Pearl oil, Ventura or Union water white, iron bbls. and wagons	$ .09
Pearl oil, in cases	.17
Union gas machine gasoline, drums	.47
Union gas machine gasoline, in cases, 2 5s	.55
Eocene oil, in cases, 2 5s	.19
Headlight, in cases, 2 5s	.18
Union headlight, in cases, 2 5s	.20
V. M. & P. naphtha, drums	.19
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2 5s	.27
Union benzine, bulk	.19
Union benzine, in cases	.27
Red Crown, Puente, Union and Ventura gasoline, iron bbls. and tank wagons	.20
Red Crown, Puente, Union and Ventura gasoline, cases, 2 5s	.28
Distillate, iron bbls. and tank wagons	.10
Distillate, cases, 2 5s	.18
Linseed oil, raw, in bbls	1.24
Linseed oil, raw, in cases	1.31
Linseed oil, boiled, in bbls	1.26
Linseed oil, boiled, in cases	1.33
Turpentine, iron bbls	.65
Turpentine, in cases, 2 5s	.72

PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Receipts—Flour, 10,305 quarters; barley, 8025 centals; beans, 2620 sacks; potatoes, 1110 sacks; onions, 40 sacks; hay, 560 tons; hides, 1745 in number; wine, 90,400 gallons.

Flour, 10.20@10.60; wheat, California Club and Russian Red, 3.15@3.25; barley, feed, 2.65@2.75; corn, California, 3.20@3.25.

Fruit—Loquats, 2.50 crate; Imperial Valley and Southern California strawberries, 1.50@2.00 chest; lemons, 3.00@3.50; grapefruit, 2.50@3.00; oranges, naval, 2.65@2.90; bananas, 1.50@2.50; pineapples, 2.25@2.50; apples, California Newtown Pippins, 1.50@1.75; Newtown Pippins, 1.25@2.25.

Feedstuffs — Wheat, 31.00@32.00; wheat and oat, 28.00@30.00;; choice tame oat, 30.00@31.00; other tame oat, 26.00@27.00; wild oat, 23.50@27.00; stock hay, 15.00@16.00; barley, 22.50@28.00; alfalfa, 23.00@26.00; barley straw, 1.00@1.25 bale; Oregon hay, 24.00@28.00; alfalfa meal, 31.00; less, 32.00.

Vegetables—Asparagus, 3@4; summer squash, 2.00; southern iced lettuce, 1.25@1.50; uniced, 75@1.00; peas, southern fancy, large, 4; small, 3; tomatoes, Mexican repacked, 1.50@2.25; green peppers, Florida, 30@35; eggplant, 15@17½; garlic, 1@3; potatoes, river, 4.25@4.50; onions, Australian, on the street, 8.50; green, 1.00@1.50; celery, 1.25@2.00; rhubarb, San Joses, 1.25; fancy, 1.00; cucumbers, 2.00@2.50; mushrooms, 15@25.

BUTTER AND EGGS; LATEST QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Butter firmer; receipts, 3493; creamery, higher than extras, 47@47½ creamery extras (92 score,) 46@46½; firsts, 44½@45½; seconds, 43½@44. Eggs strong; receipts, 31,608; fresh gathered extras, 37; fresh gathered storage packed firsts, 35½@36½; fresh gathered firsts, 34@35. Cheese quiet; receipts, 995; State fresh specials, 25@25½; do., average run, 24½@25.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Butter, fresh extras, 40½; prime firsts, 39½. Eggs, fresh extras, 32; extra firsts, 30½; fresh extra pullets, 28½; extra firsts pullets, 28. Cheese, new firsts, 20½; Young Americas, 25. Poultry—Hens, 24@25; old roosters, 15@16; fryers, 35@40; broilers, 53@55; squabs, 2.00@2.25; pigeons, 1.75@2.25; ducks, 19@20; geese, 20@21; turkeys, nominal.

CHICAGO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, April 16.—Butter higher; creamery, 41@46. Eggs higher; receipts, 30,378 cases; firsts, 34@34½; ordinary firsts, 32½@32¾; at mark, cases included, 31@34.

Try Murine Remedy

For Red, Weak, Watery Eyes, Granulated Eyelids.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

Pittsburgh Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PITTSBURGH, April 16.—Nineteen cars sold. Market lower on oranges and lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Orange Queen	$2.45
Cluster	2.35
Villa	2.35
Mandeen	2.15
Chinese, fcy., Interstate Ft. Dis.	2.55
Chinese, ch., Interstate Ft. Dis.	2.40
Lolengo, Sparr Ft. Co.	2.60
Assyrian	2.05
Halfmoon, C.M. Brown	2.35
Glenrosa, Growers Ft. Co.	2.45
State Flower, Growers Ft. Co.	2.10
Paramount Blue, Dalrymple Ft. Co.	2.70
Paramount Red, Dalrymple Ft. Co.	2.45
Defender	2.00
Fern, The Duarte Co.	2.00
Smilax, Duarte Co.	1.95
Success, Speich & Co.	2.40
Mio, Lion, Speich & Co.	1.95
Majesty, O.K. Ex.	1.95
Owl, O.K. Ex.	1.90
Lochinvar, H. Ex.	1.75
Belt, R.H. Ex.	2.40
Parrot, S.A. Ex.	2.00
Our Brand, R.H. Ex.	2.75
Cosmos, R.H. Ex.	2.30
Peppercloud, Rite Ex.	2.10
Cal. Orange, Riv. Ex.	2.10
Belt, R.H. Ex.	2.40
Navo Amazo, R.H. Ex.	1.95
Cycle, F.C. Ex.	1.80
Cycle, F.C. Ex.	1.90
Majesty, O.K. Ex.	2.00
Owl, O.K. Ex.	1.65

LEMONS.

Commercial, A.T. Ex.	$1.40
Sunset, Q.C. Ex.	2.70
Family	2.00
Oriole, F.C. Ex.	1.40

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Eighteen cars sold. Market higher on oranges, demand good. Market stronger on lemons.

NAVELS.

Euclid, Growers Ft. Co.	$2.80
Glenrosa, Growers Ft. Co.	2.60
Victory, Asso. O. Dis.	2.35
Uplandrus, Growers Ft. Co.	2.30
State Flower, Growers Ft. Co.	2.30
Fox, Asso. O. Dis.	2.10
Paramount, Dalrymple Ft. Co.	2.00
Defender	2.00
National, Harper Ft. Co.	1.90
Paramount Blue, Dalrymple Ft. Co.	1.85
Argo, Harper Ft. Co.	1.95
Victor, O.K. Ex.	2.00
Victor, O.K. Ex.	2.00
Highway, O.K. Ex.	1.90
Big Chief, O.K. Ex.	2.00
Quail, O.K. Ex.	2.00
Majesty, O.K. Ex.	2.15
Gavilan, Riv. Ex.	2.10
Paul Neyron, S.A. Ex.	2.10
Dos Palmas, S.T. Ex.	2.20
Forward, S.A. Ex.	2.00
Glendora Home, A.C.G. Ex.	2.00
Golden Orange, A.H. Ex.	2.00
Setter, A.H. Ex.	2.05
Golden Orange, imp., A.H. Ex.	2.00
Prairie Chicken, imp., A.H. Ex.	2.00
Gavilan, Riv. Ex.	2.00
Setter, A.H. Ex.	2.00
Palm Tree, A.H. Ex.	2.15
Paul Neyron, S.A. Ex.	2.15
Paul Neyron, S.A. Ex.	2.10

New York Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Fifty-three cars navels, thirteen mixed cars and four cars lemons sold. Market lower on oranges; unchanged on lemons. Fair.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Gold Buckle, imp, R. H. Ex.	$2.25
Corbishley, imp, R. H. Ex.	2.30
Golden Cross, O. K. Ex.	2.30
Red X, O. K. Ex.	2.40
Kenilworth, A. H. Ex.	2.50
Peasant, A. H. Ex.	2.20
Dandy, A. H. Ex.	1.90
Moon, O. H. Ex.	2.70
Pronghorn, O. K. Ex.	2.35
Echo, S. Ex.	2.30
Pinnacle, O. K. Ex.	2.30
Pinnacle, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.25
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.00
Lotus, O. K. Ex.	2.75
Upland King, O. K. Ex.	2.62
Upland Queen, O. K. Ex.	2.30
Owl, O. K. Ex.	1.95
Ida, D. K. Ex.	2.50
Pronghorn, O. K. Ex.	2.30
Pronghorn, O. K. Ex.	2.30
Corona Crown, Q. C. Ex.	2.40
Camel, Q. C. Ex.	2.25
Family, Q. C. Ex.	1.85
Kaltura, H. Ex.	2.30
*Viking, S. R. Ex.	2.20
Gold Buckle, R. H. Ex.	2.90
Belt, imp, R. H. Ex.	2.40
Gold Buckle, imp, R. H. Ex.	2.20
Lochinvar, imp, R. H. Ex.	2.15
Belt, imp, R. H. Ex.	2.00
Geyser, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Geyser, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Blue Globe, Riverside Ex.	2.00
Red Globe, Riverside Ex.	2.30
Alhambra, S. T. Ex.	2.20
Golden Cross, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Red X, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Golden Cross, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Belt, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.40
Glen Heights, A. C. G. Ex., Foothill	2.20
Pinnacle, A. C. G. Ex.	2.00
Pinnacle, O. K. Ex.	8.00
Pinnacle, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.75
Pinnacle, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.20
Pet, S. D. Ex.	2.75
Campana, S. A. Ex.	2.00
Campana, S. A. Ex.	2.00
Justrite, Q. C. Ex.	2.20
Indian Hill, S. A. Ex.	2.00
Indian Hill, S. A. Ex.	2.15
Cougar, Covina Ex.	2.00
Rhos Homar, O. K. Ex.	2.35
Alta Loma, S. A. Ex.	2.00
Carmencita, S. T. Ex.	2.05
Monogram, Orcas, S. T. Ex.	2.20
Girl, S. T. Ex.	2.10
Volunteer, S. A. Ex.	2.80
Lotus, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Monogram, O. K. Ex.	2.35
Diamond S, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Diamond H, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Hobo, A. H. Ex.	2.20
Dan Patch, S. R. Ex.	2.00
Dan Patch, imp, S. R. Ex.	2.85
Pony, imp, S. R. Ex.	2.40
Starlight, S. R. Ex.	2.00
Padre, O. K. Ex.	2.50
Red Riding Hood, S. D. Ex.	2.60
Red Shield, A. C. G. Ex.	2.00
Green Crown, imp, A. C. G. Ex.	1.90
Green Crown, S. A. Ex.	2.00
Queen Bee, O. C. Ex.	2.00
Royal, Q. C. Ex.	2.05
Dos Palmas, S. T. Ex.	2.00
*El Toreador, S. T. Ex.	1.90
*Altura, S. R. Ex.	2.70
*Viking, S. R. Ex.	2.20
Parrot, S. A. Ex.	2.55
Violet, D. M. Ex.	2.60
Rosamonde, Orcas, S. T. Ex.	2.35
Girl, S. T. Ex.	2.00
Highway, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Big Chief, imp, O. K. Ex.	2.00
Alhambra, S. T. Ex.	1.90
Quail, O. K. Ex.	2.25
Carmencita, S. T. Ex.	2.55
Colombo, S. T. Ex.	1.95
Pueblo, A. H. Ex.	1.90
Honeycomb, R. H. Ex.	1.80
*Hummer	1.85
*Fern, Duarte Co.	2.05
*Smilax, Duarte Co.	1.90
Mahala, L. V. W. Brown	8.10
Swallow, L. V. W. Brown	8.10
Chinese, fcy, Interstate F. Dis.	2.55
Chinese, Ch., Interstate Ft. Dis.	2.30
San Antonio Rise, S. A. Orchards	2.30
San Antonio Red, S. A. Orchards	2.15
*Century, Riv. B.O. Co.	2.25
*Fair, Riv. M. M. Co.	2.95
Chinese Fcy, Interstate Ft. Dis.	2.25
Chinese Ch, Interstate Ft. Dis.	2.00
Trophy, Asst. O. Dis.	2.00
Fox, Asst. O. Dis.	1.80
Field Mouse, C. M. Brown	2.00
Red Banner	1.70
*East Highland, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.55
*Bombol, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.45
*Orchard, imp, National O. Co.	2.10
*Standard, imp, National O. Co.	2.10
*Orchard, National O. Co.	2.40
*Standard, imp, National O. Co.	2.40
Chinese Fcy, Interstate Ft. Dis.	2.00
Chinese Ch, Interstate Ft. Dis.	2.00
Euclid, Growers Ft. Co.	2.25
Victorious, Growers Ft. Co.	2.00
White Crow, Growers Ft. Co.	1.90
Rural, Growers Ft. Co.	2.25
Rural Home, Ft. Co.	2.00
Rose Red, G.G.A.	2.80

NAVELENCIAS.

Geyser, O.K. Ex.	$2.00
Fiyer, O.K. Ex.	2.00

BLOODS.

Rosamonde, S.T. Ex.	$2.20
Girl, S.T. Ex.	1.90
Rosamonde, S.T. Ex.	2.00
Girl, S.T. Ex.	1.80
Hummer	2.25

SWEETS.

Hummer	$1.80

TANGERINES.

Geyser	$2.50
Majesty	2.40
Lotus	2.55
Monogram	2.60
Red Shield	2.40

NAVELS—HALVES.

Red Riding Hood	$ .90

NAVELS—QUARTER-BOXES.

Quail-Majesty (midget)	$ .80

BLOODS—HALVES.

Golden Cross	$1.45
Red X	1.20
Pinnacle	1.80
Paul Neyron	1.20
Upland King	1.15
Upland Queen	1.05
Blue Globe	1.25
Alhambra	1.00
Pinnacle	1.85
Queen Bee	1.15
Iris	1.15
Orchard	1.05
Glen Heights	.95

TANGERINES—HALVES.

Pinnacle	$1.50
Paul Neyron	1.05
Geyser	1.30
Pinnacle	.95
So. Beauties	1.10
Blue Hussar	1.40
Lotus	1.35
Monogram	1.35
Red Riding Hood	1.35
Pride	1.25
Glen Heights	1.00
Plain Dealer	.80
Paul Neyron	1.25
Mahala	1.55
Orchard	1.30
Orchard	1.55

LEMONS.

*Highland	$3.20
*Sunset	3.15
*Gilt Edge	2.95
*AAAA	2.90
*Prairie Chicken	2.20

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

	Cr.	Lem.
April 13	229	47
April 14, 15	349	67

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA.

	Cr.	Lem.
April 12	0	0
April 13	0	0

*—Ventilated.

OATMAN STOCKS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—Oatman stocks, sales and range:

Sales.		Bid.	Ask.	High.	Low.
	Argo	.04	.05	....	....
100	Big Jim	.83	.85	.85	....
	Blk. Range	.10	....	....	....
	Colt Edge	.01	....	....	....
	Gold Key	.10	....	....	....
	Gold Ore	.15	....	....	....
13,000	G. B.	.09	.12	.09	.08
	Hi Henry	....	.01	....	....
	Lucky Boy	.06	....	....	....
	Nellie	....	.12	....	....
	Oat. Cen.	....	.12	....	....
	Oat. N. S.	....	.07	....	....
	Utd. Eas.	....	4.50	....	....
	Utd. West.	.02	.05	....	....

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Evaporated apples firm; fancy, 11@12; choice, 10; prime, 8½@9½. Prunes firm; Californias, 9½@11½; Oregons, 10¼@10½; apricots strong; fancy, 22. Peaches firm; choice, 8½; extra choice, 9½; fancy, 9½; raisins steady; loose muscatels, 8@10; choice to fancy seeded, 8½@9½; seedless, 11@13; London layers, 1.80.

THE METAL MARKET; LEAD, COPPER, ETC.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 16.—These prices were quoted on the Metal Exchange today: Spelter, 9.87½ bid today, 9.87½ bid Saturday. Quicksilver, 115.00 bid today, 120.00 bid Saturday. Bar silver in New York, 36 9-16d, unchanged; in New York, 73½, unchanged. Mexican dollars, 56½.

COPPER AND LEAD.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Copper dull; electrolytic, spot and second quarter, 30.00@32.00, nominal; third quarter, 28.00@30.00.

Metal Exchange quotes tin firm; spot, 55.25@56.25.

Metal Exchange quotes lead steady, 9¾ asked. Speiter dull; spot, East St. Louis delivery, 9¾ asked.

COLORADO TUNGSTEN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER, April 16.—Colorado concentrates, 60 per cent., 17.00 per unit; crude ores, 60 per cent., 15.00; 25 per cent., 9.40 to 12.00; 10 per cent., 5.70 to 10.00 per unit.

LIVE-STOCK MARKET AT VARIOUS CENTERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, April 16.—Cattle, receipts, 13,000; lower. Prime-fed steers, 12.25@13.00; dressed beef steers, 9.50@12.00; western steers, 12.75; cows, 6.50@10.50; heifers, 9.00@11.75; stockers and feeders, 8.00@11.00; bulls, 7.50@10.00; calves, 8.00@13.25.

PORTLAND MARKET.

PORTLAND (Or.) April 16.—Hogs higher; receipts, 2244. Bulk of packing grades, 15.10@15.25; heavy packing, 15.25@15.35; light packing, 15.00@15.25; rough heavies, 14.00@14.75; pigs and skips, 13.25@13.75; stock hogs, 11.50@13.00. Cattle higher; receipts, 842. Prime light, 10.00@10.25; prime heavy, 9.75@10.00; good, 9.25@9.75; cows, choice, 8.25@9.00; medium to good, 7.75@8.25; ordinary to fair, 6.75@7.50; heifers, 8.25@9.00; bulls, 6.00@8.00; calves, 7.00@10.00. Sheep firm; receipts, 757; lambs, east of mountains, 13.00@13.50; lambs, valley, 12.75@13.25; lambs, shorn, 11.00@11.50; prime wethers, 11.50@12.00; choice ewes, 10.00@10.75; heavy ewes, 9.00@10.00.

CHICAGO MARKET.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, April 16.—Hogs, receipts, 35,000; slow, 10 to 15 under Saturday's average. Bulk, 15.70@16.10; light, 15.20@16.05; mixed, 15.50@16.20; heavy, 15.55@16.25; rough, 15.50@15.65; pigs, 11.50@14.50. Cattle, receipts, 19,000; weak. Native beef cattle, 9.25@13.25; stockers and feeders, 7.25@10.60; cows and heifers, 6.70@10.80; calves, 9.00@13.25. Sheep, receipts, 19,000; weak. Wethers, 10.65@13.00; lambs, 12.10@15.90.

RAW AND REFINED SUGAR QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Raw sugar firm; centrifugal, 6.46; molasses, 5.58. Refined firm; cut loaf, 8.65; crushed, 8.50; mould A and cubes, 8.00; XXXX powdered, 7.65; powdered, 7.60; fine granulated, 7.50; diamond A, 7.50; confectioners' A, 7.40; No. 1, 7.35.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Option—	Mid.	Close—Asked.
January	6.06	6.05
February	4.78	4.80
April	4.66	4.67
May	4.57	4.58
June	4.66	4.67
July	4.71	4.72
August	4.74	4.75
September	4.74	4.75
October	4.73	4.74
November	4.60	4.62
December	4.29	4.30

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

[In conformity with the desires of the Department of State, as expressed in its communication to the newspapers of the country, The Times withholds data regarding the arrival and departure of merchant vessels.]

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamer for Catalina Island leaves San Pedro at 10 a.m. Returning leaves Avalon at 3:15 p.m., arriving at San Pedro at 5:45 p.m.

Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays. East San Pedro ferry every ten minutes from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro. Terminal Island ferry from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, every half hour.

TIDE TABLE.

Tuesday	April 17	12:02	5:45	6:40	12:22
		6.4	4.8	6.1	4.7
Wednesday	" 18	12:55	6:45

duce Markets.

...spaper advertising has in a large ...sponsible for every great merchan... America and elsewhere It is also ...is wasted when expended for adver... ...newspapers that do not circulate ...not read by people who have the ...h to buy advertised articles.

...n of these truths by local merchants ...nd their familiarity with the fact ... circulation has greater purchasing ...portionately and in the total, than ... Los Angeles newspaper, is respon... ...nes printing day after day, year in ...e display and classified advertising, ...mber of separate announcements, ...os Angeles newspaper.

...s the advertising score of the Los ...ers for the week ending Saturday,

	Total lines advertising.	Separate "want ads."
.....	274,820	14,969
...ewspaper..	203,042	10,071
...wspaper...	149,898	2,995
...spaper....	146,244	2,232
...ewspaper..	133,740	2,181
...wspaper...	60,872	509

...ONLY WAY

Fair Treatment

...ICH ...OWN ...ES ...THEM

...t of all tires, as you here ...vertown Cord tire, you ...dies:

...own piling ...ce of a tread ...re tire by in... ...er in five to ...

...ad, two-ply ...riginal cord ...d;

...e knife having ...lays bare its ...

...ro-cross-wrapped" into it ...

...that of all other tires in ...-wrapping of them into a ...

...rust in their conquest of ...en the piles of many-ply ...

...e and durability, ...you can get afford to be ...nother riding comfort, and ...

...RECORDS, and their gen... ...

...CO., Akron, Ohio ...Black Safety Treads ...

...high-grade" 1916

Those in Authority.

...AVEN'T HEARD ...OF THE MERGER.

...rvisors Deny Story of Joining Hospitals.

...ow Even Considered," Says the Chairman.

...ined Part of Political Fight on Whitman.

"The proposed consolidation ...the city and county hos... ...and the appointment of ...particular person to act ...medical director have never ...been considered by the ...rd of Supervisors."—John ...Hamilton, chairman of the ...rd of Supervisors.

"I read with a great deal ...surprise that the Board of ...pervisors had practically de... ...to consolidate the city ...county hospitals and to ...point Police Surgeon John ...Kilner as medical director. ...absolutely news to me."

...Richard H. Norton, Super... ...and until recently in ...e of the County Hospital ...hairman of the Welfare ...mission.

...apparent effort to launch a ...ent to force a successor to ...r H. Whitman, as medical ...of the County Hospital, re... ...ant courtesy at the hands ...Supervisors yesterday, be... ...such appointment can be ...the board except from the ...t of the Civil Service Com... ...and for the further fact ...vacancy exists.

...Hamilton said yesterday that ...r has never come before ...d that Dr. Whitman has ...ned, neither has he been ...esign.

...being no vacancy, there ...no appointment of a suc... ...he said. "If there were a ...it would be a civil service ...Dr. Whitman is a very sick ...he is now trying to recuper... ...taking a rest.

...Personally I have received let... ...physicians recommending ...factors for the position of ...director of the County Hos... ...I have answered them to ...that no vacancy in that ...exists. If there were a va... ...the names suggested by the ...d would receive full con...

...that the report that Dr. Gil... ...been slated to succeed Dr. ...is due to the action of in... ...political friends of Dr. Gil... ...Supervisor Norton declared. ...Whitman is taking a vacation; ...not resigned. Any vacancy ...medical director would have to ...by a civil service examina... ...Dr. Whitman's health is very ...

...Dodge, in a conversation with ...of the board, the question ...Whitman's health was dis... ...Mr. Norton, because the ...of the previous year had ...the affairs of the County ...Mr. Norton and Mr. Ham... ...in warm praise of Dr. ...whose work at the Coun... ...has made it one of the ...institutions in the country. ...condition of Dr. Whit... ...has been aggravated ...attacks made upon him ...by those close to the ...doctor.

...TITLE RADIOS.

...Receives Order from ...Secretary of Navy.

...ers received yesterday by ...Police Butler from Secre... ...Navy Daniels, instruct... ...dismantle all wireless ...in the city which are ...without a Federal license. ...issued a number of the ...ses are being revoked, ...ers.

...ter of securing the locations ...ation stations and of tear... ...ers will be done by the ...

...MEN ASK ...LEGISLATION.

...of Infection During ...ering Season is ...Pointed Out.

...this bee industry of ...California has a ...$100,000 a year, there ...section in this county ...that a bee owner from ...his hives from one ...to another as he sees ...As a result, A. B. Shaf... ...secretary of the ...Bee Keepers' Associa... ...the Supervisors yes... ...there is grave danger ...general dissemination of ...disease.

...Shaffer was present, ...leading bee keepers ...county, to urge the ap... ...of additional inspec... ...the four flowering ...of the year when the ...of infection is great...

...of the conference ...appointment of a ...to confer with the ...Board with a view to ...an ordinance provid... ...county regulation in ...bee of hives. This ...will have its first ...Block Saturday ...ber No. 748 East ...Street.

They are winners.

Voltaire Perkins (top) and Clarence Runkle, of the College of Law, University of Southern California, who defeated a debating team of the University of Montana at Butte Saturday.

Rostrum.

ANGELENOS COME BACK.

Debating Team of College of Law, U.S.C., Wins Two-to-One Victory over University of Montana's Representatives in Second Annual

Traveling across three States to uphold the principle of compulsory military training and bringing home a two-to-one victory for the college of law, University of Southern California, Clarence Runkle and Voltaire Perkins won a debate from the University of Montana at Butte, Saturday, according to word received here yesterday.

The weighty question discussed was: "Resolved, that the system of Swiss military training should be adopted in the United States."

This was the second annual debate between the Los Angeles' institution and the Montana University. The first debate was won, hands down, by the northern orators.

GERMANS ARRESTED.

Deputy Collector QQuate, on duty at Calexico, reported yesterday the arrest at that point of Paul Gottschling and Albert Otto Klingbeil, Germans, charged with violation of section 10 of the proclamation of President Wilson, forbidding the entrance of Germans into this country. Both men crossed the line from Mexico. They were lodged in the County Jail at El Centro.

PLANT A GARDEN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, April 16.—Under the direction of Public Safety Commissioner J. R. Williams, a municipal spring cleaning campaign was started yesterday. Every citizen is urged to clean out his yard and augment the production of edibles by planting a garden.

After Many Days.

POWER PACT IS NOW APPROVED.

Companies' Heads Satisfied with Provisions.

Documents to go to Council this Morning.

Speedy Action is Expected from this Body.

Whenever the city of Los Angeles has the money, it can go ahead with the purchase of the properties of the Pacific Light and Power Corporation and the Southern California Edison Company, City Attorney Stephens several days ago ruled that a valid contract can be entered into between the power companies and the city without the necessity of a charter amendment.

Yesterday afternoon, officials of the companies passed identical resolutions, approving the terms of the temporary agreement between the city and the companies for the distribution of power, and also for the sale of the systems by the companies as soon as "the city shall have purchase money," and a full authority to enter the purchase agreement.

This action presumes that both companies have waived the matter of charter amendments. The papers were filed with Special Counsel Mathews of the public service department and will be transmitted to the Council this morning. It is generally believed that the Council will quickly approve the contract.

The letter to Special Counsel Mathews was personally signed by H. E. Huntington and John B. Miller. In part the epistle read:

"This agreement is satisfactory to us and we will execute the same and carry it out as soon as the city of Los Angeles and the Board of Public Service Commissioners shall have obtained the necessary funds to purchase and pay for our systems and shall have taken such steps as may be necessary to authorize the said city and board to enter into such a contract."

Some of the Edison system outside of Los Angeles is included in the proposed transfer. None of the Pacific Light and Power Corporation's holdings outside of the corporate limits of the city are included.

Liberal.

GIFT TO BOY SCOUTS.

H. E. Huntington Swells by Thousand Dollars the Fund being Raised to Carry on the Year's Work. Gardening Plans will be Mapped Tonight.

The fund of $16,000 now being raised to promote Boy Scout work for the coming year was materially swelled yesterday by the receipt of $1000 from H. E. Huntington, who is a vice-president of the Los Angeles District Council. The committee reports the sum now reaches $12,600 and an effort is being made to raise the whole amount. Checks should be made payable to Willis H. Booth, Treasurer, and sent to Scout headquarters at 330 Van Nuys Building.

The Scoutmasters of the Los Angeles District will meet tonight at Normal Hill Center, to discuss plans to promote turck gardening, as urged by President Wilson through the Chief Scout Executive, James E. West, of the National Committee of New York City.

The scout troops of the city are co-operating with the Humane Society in celebrating Humane Week, by wearing buttons and doing good turns to animals. Saturday the Scouts will escort the school children to Selig Park. Where lectures will be given on care of dumb animals.

READY TO HANG ANY TRAITORS.

Former Executioner at State Prison Now a Home Guardsman.

Thomas S. Hughes, 35 years old, formerly hangman at the Virginia State Penitentiary, enrolled yesterday afternoon in the Los Angeles Home Guard. Hughes has sailed around Cape Horn and is a soldier of fortune. He says he is willing to do anything he can, even to hanging traitors.

They Usually Do.

WIFE KNOWS WHAT HIS SALARY IS.

SAID IT WAS EIGHTEEN PER; HE CUT OFF EIGHT.

"Not Often Liars Like You are so Clearly and Conclusively Caught," Says Court After Husband's Employer has Testified. Perjury Charge is Probability.

The husband ought to know what he earns, but in the case of Lewis H. Campbell, a musician, his former wife, Mabel Ayis Campbell, added $8 to the sum he told Judge Wood yesterday he was receiving. Mrs. Campbell said it was $18 a week. Mr. Campbell put the sum at $10 a week.

To ascertain the truth the court sent for Mr. Campbell's employer, as the salary question was raised on an order to show cause why Mr. Campbell should not be punished for contempt for failing to pay the alimony ordered by the court.

When Mr. Campbell's employer was brought in he testified that the salary was $18 a week. Judge Wood thereupon ordered Mr. Campbell committed to the County Jail for five days for contempt, and stated he would direct the District Attorney to proceed against him on a charge of perjury. The court asked Mrs. Campbell's attorney to conduct her to the District Attorney to lay before him a formal charge.

"It is not often that liars like you are so clearly and so conclusively caught," the court stated to Mr. Campbell.

Belated.

WANTS YEARS' WAGES.

Octogenarian Who Labored Decades at Mercy Home Alleges Breach of Contract to Take Care of Him; Asks Forty-two Thousand Dollars.

David Lachance, at the age of 80, came into court yesterday to demand from the Mercy Home and the Seven Sisters of Mercy the alleged value of his service for twenty-eight years. During those years, he alleges in his complaint, he worked without pay, receiving his board, however. He began in 1889. In 1897, he says, he entered into a contract with the Mercy Home and Seven Sisters of Mercy by the terms of which he was to do what work he could. In turn, he was to be assured of a living during life and a proper burial.

He alleges he nursed washed things, built fires baked bread and did gardening. In 1914 he was relieved from work, continuing to live at the home until last March, when the contract was alleged to have been rescinded. He places the value of $42,526 on his services.

Early Closing for Want Ads.

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Poor Place.

DIAMONDS IN LAUNDRY.

Woman Places Valuable Rings in Pocket of Her Middy Blouse, Then Forgets Them and Sends Garment to be Washed.

Two persons reported robberies of their apartments of two collections of jewelry yesterday, each collection valued at $1000. At a late hour last night none of the valuables had been recovered. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Lawrence, registered at the Angelus Hotel, were robbed, they told the police, of diamonds and other jewelry, while they slept, early yesterday morning.

Mrs. J. B. Wells of No. 1402 Crenshaw boulevard, placed five diamond rings in the pocket of her middy blouse last Saturday, and during the afternoon sent the garment to a laundry. She recalled yesterday morning what she had done with her rings, and appealed to the police.

FOR ALL CANDIDATES.

A mass meeting, under the auspices of the Woman's Nonpolitical League, will be held at Blanchard Hall at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, when all candidates for municipal offices may tell the voters about themselves. The speeches will be interspersed with music. After the programme refreshments will be served by the Home Products League. Everything is free, and the public is invited.

STUDENTS RESPOND.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FULLERTON, April 16.—In answer to the appeal of President Wilson, High School students have called a meeting to form an industrial committee whose aim will be to alleviate a shortage of labor in the fields. One hundred and ten students have joined a military company which is to be drilled by members of the faculty.

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Staub's for Shoes
336 S. Broadway

RALLY 'ROUND THE FLAG, BOYS!

History alone will be able to repeat the story of their patriotism and tell the number of American boys who will be called upon to follow the Stars and Stripes over the field of battle.

To those who may remain at home is allotted the task, of almost equal importance, of providing the rations and munitions of war to enable those upon the firing line to make good.

To accomplish this end Congress has prepared to float a bond issue of seven billion dollars and will call for voluntary subscriptions thereto in sums to suit.

This bank devotes its organization and facilities, without profit, to serve our Country and you in the distribution of these bonds. Bring your subscriptions to us.

Will you be among the First-day subscribers?

Bank of Italy
SAVINGS COMMERCIAL TRUST
LOS ANGELES BRANCH
BROADWAY AND SEVENTH

—Home of Ostermoor Mattresses— —McCall Patterns—

Coulter Dry Goods Co.
(Founded in 1873.)
U. S. Postoffice Sub-Station W. U. Telegraph Branch American Express Branch

So Many Patrons Remark

About the attractive appearance of our Notions Section that we are sure many others will be interested in noting the changes we have made.

Articles are arranged with the idea of making your selection as convenient as possible; you can see what you desire through the big plate glass display cases.

Articles are carefully grouped according to their relationship one to another, so that you do not have to walk all about the section while making purchases.

The light is excellent; natural white light streams down where you may compare colors, etc., beneath it, and if you desire to know the effect of artificial light upon any article, you may do so.

Our Button Stocks—are the admiration of every one who has seen them; and new arrivals have marvelously augmented our showings for Spring and Summer.

(Notions; South Aisle)

Dainty Lingerie, With Small Prices to Pay

Despite rising prices in nearly every line of merchandise, we can furnish lingerie of real quality at costs to you like these:

Chemise

Of fine nainsook; dainty Swiss embroidery, beading and ribbon trimming, $1.25.

With French Valenciennes lace and insertion $1.50

With Swiss embroidery and Valenciennes lace edge..$1.00

With fisheye Valenciennes lace edging, embroidered organdie medallions.....$1.50

Vest Chemise

Of fine nainsook; lace trimmed; particularly comfortable for warm weather and much prettier for thin waists than are knitted vests....$1.50, $1.75

Isabella Drawers—a perfect fitting garment and very popular; of nainsook, regularly $1, 75c.

With Swiss embroidery ruffle, beading and ribbon; reg. $1.50 .....$1.00

With French Valenciennes insertion. Reg. $1.75..$1.25

(Muslinwear; Second Floor)

Latest Vogue in Woolens—All-Wool Tricotine

We have just put into stock a varied assortment of fashion's latest whim in wool goods for sports suits, skirts and costumes, and while this material is 54 inches wide, it sells very reasonably at, yard $3.50

Colors Obtainable

Are dove gray, sand, covert, champagne, mustard, rose American Beauty, gold, apple green, jade and Bagdad yellow $3.50

Sheer Silks for Waists and Gowns

News of the silks for which there will be sharpest demand this summer, when the lighter weaves are in vogue.

Georgette Crepes—40 inches wide, in about 150 colors and black and white $2.00

40-inch Georgette in cream, black, white and ivory.....$2.50

Novelty Voiles—40-inch width; novelties, too, in crepe Georgette, at $2.50 and $3.00.

Georgette Crepes—40 inches wide; in ivory and flesh tones, also black, $3

Voiles—40-inch width, in white, cream, ivory and black.....$2.00

Crepe Lunette—40 inches wide; in black and white; a lovely new weave to sell at $2.50

(Silks; Broadway Annex)

Every Imaginable Sort of Separate Skirt Here

With the advent of summer, with attendant vacations and outings, there always comes renewed demand for separate skirts. And Coulter's is splendidly ready to supply that demand, with garments of the best obtainable quality at every price:

Black Taffeta Skirts

—taffeta is strongly in present vogue, and these are superior, both in grade of silk and in style of making up, prices begin at $11.50

Black Satin Skirts

—always in good taste; these particularly so, because their lines are so gracefully designed; priced from $17.50 to $22.50.

Other Black Skirts

—in crepe de chine and silk poplin; a style for every necessity, $20 to $22.50.

Wool Velour Skirts

—and serges in light or dark shades; plaids and stripes—Copen, greens, lavender, brown, blue, grays; some plain, others box pleated, $11.50 to $20.

(Garments; Second Floor)

Smart Sports Skirts

—in all the vivid colorings in demand at seashore, Country Clubs and resorts of the kind—bright or subdued tones, as your taste requires; Khaki Kools, Pussy Willow and Shantung—the sports materials most in request, priced from $25 and higher.

New Wash Skirts

—in gabardines and Bedfords, for sturdy every-day wear, $3.50 to $6.50.

Fancy Wash Skirts

—pretty figures and stripes of all varieties, $5.50 and $6.50.

White Serge Skirts

—probably the best-liked of any separate skirts; here, beautifully pleated in a diversity of models, at $11.50 and $12.50.

Miro Dena Chin Supporter

—prevents abnormal tissue formations; rests and supports the tired, weak and relaxed muscles, and holds them in place while they contract and regain their natural strength and firmness, thus insuring a perfect contour $4.50

Nu-Life Guaranteed Vibrators

—Type A; aluminum, with all attachments, can always be kept in working condition in any home; once you realize what an aid to health and comfort they are, you will wonder how you ever could have been without one; our price $15

Newest Sports Belts

Whatever is new and smart in sports belts you may expect to find now at our Leather Goods Section.

There are the patent, kid and suede leathers in every new fancy that will be asked for this summer, and women who buy now will have the pleasant satisfaction, not alone of leading the style, but also of choosing from the widest selections. Priced from 35c to $4.00 each.

New Leather and Fabric Bags

Novelties here, too, in clever bags for carrying with summer gowns; all sorts of pretty ideas that are original, and well worth the prices asked—which in many instances are lower than you would believe, for such fine qualities. You will wish to look these over at once, we know.

(Leather Goods; Main Floor)

When You Use Liquid Cedarwax on Furniture

Hardwood floors and interior woodwork you can be assured of this result, a clean dry surface that will not get sticky, and a lasting luster.

Sold with a positive guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded. Prices range from 25c for a 6 oz. bottle, to $2.50 for a gallon can.

O-So-Exy Mops—three-corner dust or oil mops, ready for use, including handle 75c

O-So-Exy Handle Duster 50c

(South Aisle)

Crepe de Chine
Waists $3.75

Any number of attractive styles and all colors, including black; qualities you would never think it possible to buy for so little as $3.75.

(Waists; Second Floor)

New Girdles

The fad for these Oriental girdles continues unabated and to supply the demand we have just put in stock an entirely new assortment; in quaint Japanese, Roman and similar effects, in all shades, to blend with or harmonize with different suits or dresses, $1.25 to $8.00.

New Twilight Jewelry—to go with these girdles, also in stock.

(Jewelry; South Aisle)

COULTER'S—215-229 South Broadway 224-228 South Hill Street—COULTER'S

Life's Gentler Side—Society, Music, Song and the Dance—Los Angeles Theaters

SOCIETY.

Mrs. Albee's Tea.

Mrs. Morris Albee of No. 2506 Juliet street gave a tea Sunday afternoon in honor of Mrs. W. W. Franzheim and daughter, Catherine Franzheim of Wheeling, W. Va., and Mrs. Mary La Grand Reed of London, Eng. Mrs. Albee had intended making the affair a formal one, but changed her plans in the face of circumstances.

About eighty guests were present to meet Mrs. Reed and to bid farewell to Mrs. and Miss Franzheim, who will return Sunday to their home in West Virginia, to say goodby to the two Franzheim boys who will leave shortly for "Somewhere in U.S.A." Mother and daughter have been staying at the Shoreham apartments all winter.

Invitational Lecture.

The lecture by Cyril Maude, which will be given this afternoon at Capt. Banning's residence in the ballroom, will prove a great source of interest to those who are working for the success of the American Red Cross and the British Red Cross. Mr. Maude will tell of life in the trenches, and will give practical suggestions to the women of the Red Cross here in town.

Mrs. Burkelman to Leave.

Mrs. Arnold J. Burkelman, who has been one of the indefatigable workers in the Red Cross, will leave tomorrow or next day for San Diego and Coronado for a few days' rest. She will probably return Sunday.

Bachelors Dance.

Four young bachelors of Los Angeles, the Messrs. James H. Copeland, Clyde V. and the twins, Walter E. and Chester L. Bergiund, entertained a few of their friends at an informal dance Thursday evening. Those who attended the party were the Misses Grace Abbott, Margaret Jarrott, Emma Kreymborg, Helen Mauzy, Dorothy Milbach, Janet Moore, Odessa Rankin, Florence Thompson, and the Messrs. James Dawson, Thomas Dean, George Feller, Melville C. Hall.

Marriage Announcement.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Dorendo Karpen and Mr. Edwin Clark, the former of Chicago, and the latter of Los Angeles. The wedding took place Saturday morning at Riverside, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Cox of Riverside. Mr. and Mrs. Clark will be at home at No. 1501 Bonita avenue after the 15th of June.

Invitational Lecture Postponed.

The lecture which Miss Kathleen Burke, the "Thousand-dollar-a-day girl," was to have given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien N. Brunswig, West Adams street, which was first arranged for Wednesday night, and then deferred to Thursday night, on receipt of subsequent advices, has now been indefinitely postponed, in view of Miss Burke's numerous engagements precluding the possibility of her lecturing in Los Angeles either Wednesday or Thursday night, she being called to the extreme North and East.

Newlyweds Return.

Returning from their honeymoon on account of the illness of the groom is not the most pleasant thing in the world to have happen. And Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Green, who went to San Francisco for their weding trip, are bewailing that fact that the "best laid plans of mice and men gang aft aglee." For Mr. Green was taken ill shortly after the couple arrived in the Golden Gate City, and they speedily cut short their trip and came back home. They returned Saturday afternoon.

Blasier-Mier Wedding.

Miss Enid Marjorie Mier, the charming daughter of Mrs. Nellie Peyton, who has endeared herself to so many in connection with the St. Elisabeth Day Nursery, was married to Milton Edward Blasier, Jr., son of M. E. Blasier of Los Angeles. The wedding took place at the chapel of the Cathedral, on Main street, at 9 o'clock a.m. yesterday, the Rev. Father McMannus officiating. The church was beautifully decorated, and Mendelssohn's Wedding March and the "Ave Maria" formed part of the ceremony. Richard Mier, uncle of the bride, gave her away. Mr. and Mrs. Blasier will reside in Los Angeles.

Visitor from Portland.

Chester Adwin from Portland, Or., is visiting his grandfather, Thomas Farnham, No. 919 West Third street. Mr. Farnham is probably one of the oldest residents living in Los Angeles today, coming here in the 60's from Rochester, N. Y.

Red Cross Ball.

Another society event which will be put on under Red Cross auspices will be the ball given by the Woman's Club of Hollywood Thursday evening.

Bebe Marie Frances Kiernan, the 6-year-old tot who dances with the skill of a professional, and the intelligence of the grown-up, will contribute her services during the intermission for an Egyptian dance called "The Yogi."

Those in charge of the ball are Mrs. Edmunds Locke, Mrs. Rufus V. Bowden, Mrs. C. Lowell Frost, while other prominent women interested are Miss Lucretia Del Valle, Mrs. James Woolwine, Mrs. Ralph M. Burdick, Mrs. Roland Bishop, Mrs. Charles W. Hershey, Mrs. Howard Lippincott, Mrs. Alexander B. Bartlett, Mrs. Force Parker, and others.

M. M. M. Means What?

Smiles rhymes with her middle name,

And its Miles to minutes that she'll travel in the high of popularity this week in "The Gentle Intruder," in which she is appearing at Tally's. Answer: Little Miss Minter is back in town.

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2300 Seats at 25 Cents. 500 Seats at 50 Cents. Loges and Boxes, 75 Cents.
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The Distinguished English Actor
MR. CYRIL MAUDE In His International Triumph, the Comedy Drama, "GRUMPY"
Prices: Evenings and Saturday Matinee, 50c to $2. Matinee Tomorrow, 50c to $1.
Next Week—WILLIAM H. CRANE. Seats Thursday 9 A.M.

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2:30—7:00—9:00
The Secret Kingdom
No. 9—The Swamp Adder
8 BIG ACTS
MOTOR MADNESS
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MARY MILES MINTER IN "THE GENTLE INTRUDER"
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Every Day Except Monday. Game Called at 2:30 P. M.
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Soprano, in Recital, Assisted by BRAHMS QUINTET and AXEL SIMONSEN, 'Cellist. Tickets 75c, $1, $1.50, $2.00—On Sale Trinity Box Office.

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CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "THE CURE"

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TRACERY FROM LIFE.

CYRIL MAUDE'S GRUMPY IS A TRIUMPH OF REALITY.

By Henry Christeen Warnack.

People are not just people. There is a difference. An audience may fill the seats of a theater, yet leave the house quite empty, while a few persons of another sort will constitute a rare presence. Last night's greeting to Mr. Cyril Maude in "Grumpy" at the Mason was notable in quality, as well as numerical strength. The audience paid the great actor the compliment of not dressing. They were not bent upon being any part of the show themselves. The performance was really the attraction. Even the boxes entered this atmosphere and intelligence, and when, at the end of the third act, the superb English artist responded to the insistent applause with one of the most beautiful curtain speeches within the stage experience of any of us, the audience seemed to glow with an added appreciation and to adhere to a closer unity.

"Grumpy" is an altogether delightful show, designed to set forth the power and peculiar charm of this entirely delightful actor in much the same way that "Rip Van Winkle" was suited to the late Joseph Jefferson and the "Music Master" fits David Warfield, or "Quality Street" once provided so charming a vehicle for Maude Adams.

Although not so fine in quality, nor so definite in character, we have one American play—"The Fox," produced by Mr. Morosco—which is not unlike "Grumpy." In "The Fox" we had a clever old man who was once a famous criminal, and who has one more trick left in him. Grumpy in his day had been one of the world's most famous criminal lawyers, and now, in his doddering old age, he traces down the man who robs and nearly murders Grumpy's favorite nephew.

The case literally rests upon a hair with which a servant girl had bound a camellia. In the struggle between robber and victim the camellias worn by each are exchanged, and Grumpy finds the telltale flower, and with it the thief.

Precisely as this simple yet fascinating play reminds one of "Rip Van Winkle" and the "Music Master" so does the beautiful acting of Mr. Maude recall that of Mr. Jefferson and suggests Mr. Warfield at his best. His personal appearance is a triumph in the art of "making up." No wonder a New York girl exclaimed, "What a pity he waited until he was so old before coming to America."

His Grumpy is, indeed, a mellow old gentleman, sly and merry, like any one of a dozen happy old people all of us have known in life. That is the charm of the creation. Mr. Maude's Grumpy is not somebody on the stage, but someone you have known and can never forget. His voice has the querulous quality of advanced age and his laughter is the toothless cackle of 80. Every infirmity of frailty is there, yet the senses are alert with the cunning that sometimes accompanies age.

Nothing could be more human, nothing more sympathetic or agreeable. It is precisely the touch that distinguishes the greatness of the stage from its bathos. It is the velvet and refinement of the stage as opposed to the awkward and the crude. There is only one word describing the effect of such acting and that word is benediction.

Of course, the supporting cast reflects the same excellence. The true artist never isolates himself for that is to violate the first law of the good performance—its unity.

With Sir Herbert Tree presenting "The Newcombs" in New York, and with Cyril Maude in "Grumpy" at the Mason, England is doing very well by America this week.

GENERAL REVIEWS.

Pantages.

There's a bright, splendidly-balanced bill at Pantages this week. And the most refreshing spot is the "extra" devoted to the violin playing of little Miss Margaret Browning. This pretty miss won the hearts of the audience last night the minute she came bashfully and gracefully to the footlights. She played with a feeling and skill that clinched the liking.

"All by Himself" does Harry Rose lope to the foreground, emit a few nuttiisms, squeal a few primadonna spasms, execute a few "likea-fairy" steps, then exit skippingly, "The Audience with Him."

A little playlet of laughter is "Solitaire." It relates the wise ruse of brother-in-law to patch the quarrel of two young 'uns.

A petite package of Frenchy fluff is light-footed Mlle. Amoros, and while Ben Mulvey is no slouch in the foot work either, he makes his hit with "Go Into the Movies, Mary Ann."

All dressed up and nothing to do but sing. That's Mamma and Papa and Son and the two girls and little Brother in their grand opera gypsy costumes. They sing well in spite of the personal and stage scenery.

"Flying" trapeze is correct for "Motor Madness"—the man and woman perform their stunts on perches swung in a dizzying circle by two elevated "put-put-putting" motorcycles.

Threwe comedy of almost Old Testament vintage by Friend and Downing, and thrilling pirate melodrama incidents in "The Secret Kingdom," complete a bill that will be a good standard for Pantages to keep up to.

Hippodrome.

A good line-up of features is at the Hippodrome this week. Opening the roster, Waak and Manning, with a harp and a horn of large dimensions, purvey a pleasing musical offering.

Hawley and Bellaire have a skit entitled "333," which gets over well. The Toki Japs scor literally with foot juggling and tumbling. The closing feat, where one member walks a tight rope to the top of the balcony and slides backwards at lightning speed to the stage, brings gasps and thrills a-plenty.

Ogden and Benson are two clever boys with original songs and piano playing.

The Sunset Six, a bevy of pretty and accomplished young misses, are heard to advantage in connection with several varieties of string instruments. Jewett and Pendleton show class in their amusing musical and dance turn. Mlle. Le Vain and a pair of male assistants offer a gymnastic feature, "Military Frolics," embodying several novel ideas.

TWO BURNED.

Suffer Minor Injuries in Early Morning Fires.

Two persons received minor burns yesterday in early morning fires. They were treated at the Receiving Hospital.

Mrs. Russell Craft of No. 133 North Bunker Hill avenue was burned on the face and hands when a gas stove, on which she was cooking her breakfast, exploded.

Thomas Carty a painter of No. 245½ South Spring street, was burned severely on the hands when he attempted to extinguish a fire in the mattress of his bed, caused by a lighted cigar.

At Orpheum.

OLD JOYS REVIVED.

GLADYS HULETTE INGENUES AS HAPPY COLLEEN.

By Grace Kingsley.

Censorship of pictures appears to be dying out, and Anthony Comstocking exhibitors and producers is apparently a lost art—that is, in the West, where it was found that censors allowed certain films to pass, no matter how full of Ziegfeld Follies material, providing such picture plays had a religious or "classic" title, but "killed" several plays in which the vampire vamped. In other words, our devilry experts confounded the odor of talcum with the odor of sanctity.

There is no doubt there is need for censoring of the films; in one house this week is shown a picture, suavely and decorously played, but revealing the story of a woman who, having parted a man and his wife, lived with the husband openly. Afterward she married a "nice" young man, and in fear of being tattled upon, she told him her story. He not only took her willingly to his bosom, but he said in effect: "Never mind, dearie, I knew it all the time, but I didn't want to worry you about it!" And she hadn't anything on him, either!

In the censorship days, this tale would have gotten by without question, since it is entirely unphysical—in it is displayed, in fact, hardly so much as the lady's ankle. But if this same story had had a cabaret scene in it, with the ladies' dresses beginning late and ending early, it would have been shooed out of town.

For one reason I am sorry the censors are gone. In time they might have been prevailed upon to make it a misdemeanor to destroy a helpless pie in the interests of comic art, and for another thing I understand they were about to suppress the sunny-curled ingenue.

Orpheum.

The Orpheum management must have a system of calculation concerning the working of the law of probabilities. That is, they seem able to figure, judging from the noise some old acts aroused yesterday, just what percentage of people making up the audiences might not have chanced to see those acts before.

This, unhappily, does not apply to the poor critic, who, having exhausted all his adjectives, not to mention his supply of admiration, the first time he saw certain turns, has not only to say something new about them, but has to look at and listen to them all over again.

Take Lydia Barry, for instance. Miss Barry, we are willing to acknowledge, is delightfully entertaining, amusing, and full of that desirable quality known as "pep." Nevertheless, she has nothing new in her act—since her last visit a year ago except some new dresses. That vaudeville burlesque bit of hers, of course, is as funny as it can be—by all means see it if you haven't done so—and so is the lady in the hat shop, and Miss Barry's plaint about being a widow.

Then there are George Whiting and Sadie Burt—two of the greatest favorites in the two-a-day, and rightly so—but why stick to any of the old material? They are pastmasters at putting over a song, and be it said to their credit they have a couple of new songs, which register exceedingly well. Natalie Alt, after an absence of only a week, comes back with songs nearly the same.

Those high-brows who declare the banjo is an instrument of limited musical expression ought to hear Brent Hayes, who opens the show—also stops it.

Cute little personal remarks about each other, in songs made up of rhymed sentiments about, "how can I doubt you," and "living without you," etc., are the offering of Irving Newhoff and Dode Phelps, and the two make a pleasing impression.

George Kelly in "Finders-Keepers," Rita Mario and her orchestra, and Lew Dockstader in his monologue, continue their success of last week.

Palace.

Not for long have I seen so fanciful, delightful and altogether refreshing a little story as "Pots-and-Pans Peggy," in which Gladys Hulette is appearing at the Palace this week.

Gladys Hulette is one of the very few ingenues who is also a human being. She is a vivid bit of femininity, more natural than Marguerite Clark, quite as briskly brainy as Constance Talmadge. In this story she has the role of a happy little Irish girl, who to support her four younger brothers and sisters, takes a "job" as a maid. While the young woman assumes unheard-of liberties with the family and their guests, she gets away with it convincingly. Little bits of byplay are the best things about the picture, as where the maid, forced by circumstances to masquerade as a duchess, warns: "But remember, I know how to eat with only one fork" !

Pathe preparedness films of utmost interest, complete the bill.

Don't miss "Pots-and-Pans Peggy."

Tally's Broadway.

Some day that lovely little eyefull, Mary Miles Minter, will be placed in a picture play in which she will have a chance really to act. Then she will do it. Already she is discarding the pouts, and sometimes does up her back hair.

This week she is appearing at Tally's Broadway in one of her childish, more-sinned-against-than-usual roles, in a picture play entitled "The Gentle Intruder." The plot deals with a dear good old man turned villain and forced to steal the will in order that his family might live in style; also in order that there might be a story. While this doesn't sound human, the man who plays the part of the father makes it so. I do not remember his name, but he walks off with the picture.

Miss Minter's part consists in being sweet and lovable, but as usual she reveals flashes of sincere dramatic talent and understanding. When will they let Mary be more than 14 and paly a real roel?

A travelogue of unusual beauty, showing wonderful views of the Grand Canyon, accompanies the feature.

OFFICIALS' CONFERENCE.

Superintendents, officers and teachers of Sunday-schools are invited to meet in Berean Hall, Temple Auditorinm Building, tomorrow morning from 9:45 to 11 o'clock. There will be a superintendents' conference at 11 o'clock. Mrs. A. W. Rider will give model illustrations of hymns in connection with her lecture on "Hymnology" at 9:55 o'clock.

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY EMILY SQUIER.

Mayor Woodman at the City Club yesterday afternoon took a verbal can opener to the municipal clock and showed the women how the wheels went around. It was a straight business talk, without frills or furbelows, and the audience looked as if they understood it, even if they were rather dubious about it on the inside.

Mayor Woodman briefly outlined the city departments, told of the changes wrought in some, the need for change in others, and plans for improvement. He assured the women that a plan for municipal defense was being put into action which would make Los Angeles an absolutely safe place of abode. (Loud applause, and quite a few audible expressions of "Thank goodness.")

He said the municipal fish markets were municipal in name only, but that they were serving their purpose in keeping down the high price of fish. He briefly outlined the plan of the Board of Public Service, which contemplates municipal ownership of light and water, and told of the new drydock and ship building project now under way. He touched on the police department, saying that policemen should not do things forbidden by law any more than other individuals should, and in passing, commented favorably on the present Chief of Police. He asserted that a new City Jail is needed, and submitted a tentative plan for a new one, which will be an administration building, with all the city offices under one roof, a jail on the top floor, and a roof garden for the exercise of prisoners and the drying of laundry. He closed with a reminder of the serious national crisis, and the hope that all would do their duty for the flag.

Ebell Club.

Prefacing the programme at the Ebell Club yesterday afternoon, Mrs. W. S. Bartlett said a few pointed words on the subject of buying food in abnormal quantities, and beyond current needs.

"By hoarding food upon pantry shelves," said Mrs. Bartlett, "women are bringing about the very condition they are seeking to avoid. There is ample food in Los Angeles to supply normal demands, but our merchants are not prepared to furnish food for six months from now, and consequently prices are inflated. I would urge Ebell women to help the poor, who must buy day by day, to buy less instead of more. Order simpler menus, at least in the staples. Buy luxuries if you can, for Maraschino cherries and pate de foie gras are not needed at the front, but release all the sugar, flour, and vegetables that you can. Patriotism, like charity, begins at home."

The speaker for the afternoon was Francis Marion Fultz, formerly a teacher in the Santa Barbara schools. He gave an interesting talk on the wild flowers of Southern California, and illustrated it with colored slides. Mrs. Fultz gave several pretty little stories of the flowers, which added to the delicacy and charm of the programme. How the poppy came to California, and why the wild yucca bloome, were two of the flower legends she told.

Mr. Fultz gave the audience a chance to shake hands, as it were, and call by name many wild flower friends they had often seen, but whose name they did not know. He told of the habits of the little wild blossoms, and made them seem near human. The slides, which Mrs. Fultz had colored by hand, were well chosen, and were a treat in themselves, even without the enlightening lecture.

Mrs. Noble Leaves.

Mrs. C. C. Noble, left Saturday for the national convention of the Congress of Mothers at Washington, D. C., and will return the middle of May. She will then leave for Sacramento as a delegate to the State convention.

In her absence, all matters pertaining to the Los Angeles District of P. T. A. and the California Congress of Mothers should be referred to the first vice-president, Mrs. Harvey Trowridge.

Talks on Red Cross.

Mrs. Cora B. Taylor will give a talk on the work of the Red Cross at the Virgil Intermediate school P. T. A. this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The teachers at Virgil Intermediate are going to form a Red Cross organization, and have invited the P. T. A. to join with them. Others on the programme will be Mrs. C. H. Ritchie, who will talk on "Problems of Children;" Mrs. Roscoe Williams, who will give several piano numbers, and Miss Gertrude Rothe, who will give a reading. Mrs. E. H. Noe, the president of the P.T.A., will preside.

Ready.

GREETERS WOULD SERVE

Offer Their Services to Assist in Securing Enlistments for Army or Navy, or Otherwise Wherever They Can be Used to Advantage.

Los Angeles Chapter No. 30 of the Greeters of America yesterday wired President Wilson offering to assist in enlistment in the army or navy, as well as for any other service that might be desirable. "Command us in this time of need," concluded the telegram.

A reply is expected today, and this will be read at the meeting of the organization this evening at the Lankershim Hotel. The Greeters are made up of the hotel clerks of Southern California, and they are vitally interested, not only in home, but in national problems of economic preparedness. These greater questions will be taken up at Boston in June, when the annual convention is called to order.

At the meeting tonight the number of delegates to be sent from this city will be decided upon. The ball which is to supply the means for defraying the expenses of trip will be held on May 3 in the Goldberg-Bosley Assembly Hall. Some very novel lighting effects, a short programme of fancy dancing and special refreshments are among the features of the programme. The Entertainment Committee includes George Daul, J. P. Doherty, A. F. Walsh, Leight Fuller and C. W. Heil.

MUSICAL NOTES.

Mary Le Grand Reed, soprano, who has spent the past several years abroad in concert work, will give a recital marking her return to this city, this evening at Trinity Auditoruom. The event will be under the auspices of the Los Angeles City Teachers' Club. The Brahms Quintette will assist Mrs. Reed.

Carly in Recital.

Victor Carly, a baritone of attainment, will present a programme tomorrow evening at the Little Theater. This is the first time Mr. Carly has sung in the city.

On His Way.

ADMITS BIG THEFT.

Ancel Boyett, Bank Looter, Pleads Guilty of Embezzlement; will be Sentenced Friday; His Companions May be Prosecuted.

Without the voice of an attorney raised in his behalf or a friend to plead for him, Ancel Boyett, who stole $40,000 from the Bank of Italy while working as head bookkeeper, pleaded guilty of embezzlement, in Superior Judge Craig's court yesterday. Sentence is to be imposed Friday. No attempt was made to secure probation for him.

Prosecution of those who assisted Boyett in spending the money they knew he was stealing is expected, as the District Attorney has a number of investigators working on the case. It is alleged these men had a sinister influence in the determination of Boyett to make no public confession of the details of his criminal career.

Double Action.

ENTERS TWO PLEAS.

San Diego Diamond Merchant Faces Two Courts; Denies He Duped Woman in Diamond Deal or Broke Laws Governing Detective Agencies.

Max Baranov, San Diego diamond merchant, said to have been responsible for the swindling of Mrs. Jessie Ullray of several thousand dollars' worth of diamonds, made two pleas yesterday in local courts.

Before Superior Judge Craig he pleaded not guilty to the charge of having embezzled $256 from Mrs. Ullray in a diamond transaction in this city. He reserved the right to change his plea later. The trial was set for May 28.

Before Police Judge White Baranov was arraigned on a charge of having violated the State private detective agency law. He pleaded not guilty. His trial was set for May 8.

He is now at liberty on $2500 bond on the felony charge and on $500 on the misdemeanor charge.

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Also: "The Film Spoilers," with Charles Conklin. Shows: 11, 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6, 7:40 and 9:15.

ALHAMBRA— Miller's 846 So. Main
Bet. 7th and 8th
STRANGE STORY OF THE WRECKED YACHT
KITTY GORDON & WILLIAM COURTLEIGH in "THE PERFECT LOVER"
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F. F. Edmunson	Edison, Cal.
E. A. Andreas	Isabella, Cal.
Carlson's Store	Lerrabee, Cal.
H. L. Hamlin	Pond, Cal.
R. E. White	Fellows, Cal.
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H. Hookinson	Rialto, Cal.
Cox & Andrews	Colton, Cal.
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Riverside Co-op. Assn.	Riverside, Cal.
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La Habra Merc. Co.	La Habra, Cal.
Glaister Bros.	La Habra, Cal.
E. D. Gray	La Habra, Cal.
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B. L. Chandler	Anaheim, Cal.
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McClellan Bros.	Lordsburg, Cal.
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J. H. Dyer	Glendora, Cal.
J. J. Peyton	Glendora, Cal.
E. G. Kunsard	Glendora, Cal.
Azusa Merc. Co.	Azusa, Cal.
Bowerman & Stark	Lankershim, Cal.
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Stanford Merc. Co.	Van Nuys, Cal.
E. L. Brown	San Fernando, Cal.
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J. Dolesall	Pasadena, Cal.
Tooley & McNulty	Pasadena, Cal.
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Fred Weismann	Pasadena, Cal.
Ventura County Cash Store	Fillmore, Cal.
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A. J. Vollmer	Ventura, Cal.
Ventura City, Co-op. Assn.	Tira, Cal.
Gus Hasmptis	Tira, Cal.
M. Wharton	Tira, Cal.
Blevins & Garneth	Santa Paula, Cal.
J. B. Mead	Santa Paula, Cal.
Lobdell Bros.	Santa Paula, Cal.
Somis Merc. Co.	Somis, Cal.
Ventura City, Co-op. Assn.	Fillmore, Cal.
W. C. Hamilton	Pasadena, Cal.
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B. Marris	Oxnard, Cal.
O. H. Beach	Northcut, Cal.
Jack Golden	Santa Paula, Cal.
C. M. Lewis	Santa Ana, Cal.
G. Bert Wallace	Santa Ana, Cal.
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R. D. Robinson	Santa Ana, Cal.
Geo. Edgar	Santa Ana, Cal.
Ed Young	Santa Ana, Cal.
D. F. McBurney	Santa Ana, Cal.
S. B. Schmucker	Santa Ana, Cal.
J. W. Morrison	Orange, Cal.
R. T. Lee	Orange, Cal.
G. W. Short	Orange, Cal.
McPherson & Miller	Orange, Cal.
F. H. Allen	Montebello, Cal.
Montebello Supply Co.	Montebello, Cal.
O. Marshburn	Whittier, Cal.
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J. P. Underwood	Whittier, Cal.
Hull & Morgan	Whittier, Cal.
M. B. Mills	Whittier, Cal.
C. F. Klingberg	Whittier, Cal.
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Geo. B. Bantz	Norwalk, Cal.

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J. B. Cramer	Long Beach, Cal.
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Stirring Speech by City Attorney Opens Campaign.

Mayor Woodman, candidate for re-election, made several speeches yesterday, among them being those before the Woman's City Club at Blanchard Hall in the afternoon and before the Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist Church in the evening. Today he will address a number of gatherings, being scheduled to speak before the Highland Park Ebell Club at 10 o'clock this morning.

Preparedness being the burning question of the hour, the Mayor is making it a point to tell the people everywhere he goes of the plans perfected for the protection of Los Angeles.

"Some time ago I sent a telegram to the President of the United States, stating that Los Angeles stood squarely behind him in the world's crisis and that Los Angeles citizenship could be depended upon to support our country's flag and uphold our national honor," the Mayor said last night.

"This is being borne out by the hearty co-operation which is being accorded me in my preparedness plans. More than 5000 have volunteered for home guard duty and all are pulling together to aid me in living up to my assurances to Mr. Wilson."

In outlining his plans for a new city jail, one that would be more like an office building than a gloomy, barred dungeon, the Mayor was heartily applauded when he said:

"Our duty is to correct and not to punish and for this reason, if no other, our jail should be along humanitarian lines."

Following a meeting of members of the Order of Railway Conductors, at which Thomas Foss, secretary of the California State Legislative Board, spoke in behalf of Mayor Woodman's election at the primaries, it was unanimously resolved that a committee be formed to assist in electing the Mayor. The committee includes Samuel A. M. McInnes, Lloyd S. Atkinson, Edward Suell, W. P. Jefferson, O. N. Seaman, R. E. Chewning, Ed Mayhugh, J. H. Wasserberger, L. A. Wood, Lydia K. Jefferson, Nettie A. Hall, Rose L. Suell, Mamie A. Parr, Myrtle Seaman.

Other meetings held last night for Mayor Woodman were at the Clifford-street school, under the auspices of the Ellendale Improvement Association, where Ray Nimmo spoke; at the Sixty-sixth street school, where Frank Blair spoke, under the auspices of the Ascot Park Improvement Association, and at No. 642½ North Main street, where Frank Domingues was the speaker.

STEPHENS TAKES STUMP.

Making his first address of the campaign for re-election as City Attorney, Albert Lee Stephens spoke last evening to a large gathering at the schoolhouse at Fifty-second and Main streets under the auspices of the South Main-street Improvement Association. He briefly and forcefully recited what had been accomplished by his office since he took charge.

More than 10,000 requests for opinions have been handled by that office, said the speaker, and it was only by a complete system that the amount of work could be accomplished. In the last two years 108 Superior Court cases have been tried and all but twenty won. Appeals, State commission cases and preparation of briefs have taken much of the office time, the speaker explained.

Principal among the accomplishments of the office were cited, the legal work on the harbor, tidelands, zoning of the city and the winning of forty-seven acres north of Elysian Park. Judge Stephens closed his address by asking that he be returned to office to complete the work that remains unfinished and which he initiated.

John B. Powell, chaplain of the Los Angeles fire department, has received indorsements from the following organizations, in his campaign for a seat in the City Council: Army and Navy Bolo Club, Entre Nous Women's Club, Boyle Heights Association, Pico Heights District Club, Republican Club, South End Improvement Association and the Van Nuys Boosters Club.

Paul D. Howse, who is supported by the motion-picture men of the city for Council, will speak before the Woman's Non-Partisan Club Wednesday, April 18, at 2 o'clock in Blanchard Hall.

Members of the Westlake-Wilshire division of the Women's Republican League will meet this afternoon at No. 433 Grand View street. Mayor Woodman, Rev. Glenn MacWilliams, secretary to the Mayor; Miles Gregory and Newton M. Allen, candidate for the Council, are scheduled to speak.

A committee of prominent women will meet this afternoon to prepare for a vigorous campaign in the interests of Mrs. Cora Taylor, candidate for the Board of Education. Mrs. Taylor was for four years president of the Los Angeles Federation Parent-Teachers' Association.

JUDGE GOES NORTH.

United States District Judge Bledsoe and officers of his court went to San Francisco last night to resume the examination of witnesses in the oil fraud cases. The court will return here next Monday, when evidence in behalf of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company will be again taken up.

SWAP COMPLETED.

Blocks J and I, which for more than two years have formed a part of the playground in Garvanza, were formally turned over to the city yesterday by the Board of Supervisors. The Council in return for this property gave the Potter's field adjacent to Evergreen Cemetery to the county.

Early Closing for Want Ads.

Times Want Ad patrons are notified that copy for classified real estate advertisements, and all other Part V advertisements, for Sunday's Times will not be accepted after 8 o'clock p.m. Saturdays.

"Wanted" and "To Let" advertisements will be accepted as usual until 11 o'clock p.m. Saturdays. Advertisements ordered for insertion in Sunday's Times cannot be discontinued or changed after 5 o'clock p.m. Saturdays.

The Public Service.

At the Courthouse.

UNITED STAND; DIVIDED FALL.

DECISION IN ONE ACTION IS KNOCK-OUT FOR MANY.

Stockholders Who Contributed Money to Concern, Either Through Assessments or Return of Dividends Declared, Cannot Recover, Judge Shenk Finds.

The suit of the Lyon, McKinney and Smith Company against W. K. Mace to recover on promissory notes for $2235.26, which involved also the suits of Dr. C. W. Bozarth and Charles S. Anderson against the corporation for the value of assessments paid on stock, was decided by Judge Shenk yesterday in favor of the corporation.

In the suit against Mr. Mace, the latter, in a cross-complaint, endeavored to have the note cancelled and obtain judgment against the corporation for dividends declared in 1914. These, by the consent of all of the stockholders, were turned back to the corporation for the benefit of creditors. It was also sought to recover the amount of voluntary assessments advanced by all of the stockholders for the benefit of creditors.

Dr. Bozarth's suit against the corporation was to compel it to pay dividends he had returned as one of the stockholders, and the amount of the assessments he had voluntarily paid, along with other stockholders of the corporation, to the value of $7420.

Mr. Anderson sought to recover dividends he had returned and assessments to the amount of $2300, on the ground that there had been no consideration and alleging fraud or mistake.

Judge Shenk held that where all of the stockholders acted in concert and contributed to the corporation money, either through voluntary assessments or contributions for the benefit of creditors, that there was a consideration and that therefore recovery cannot be had, unless there was an agreement that the sums were loans. In these cases no fraud or mistake had been shown.

ESTATE SHRINKS.
MINORS INTERVENE.

Denying that the late Mrs. Maria Gatrell Tomb has been unduly influenced in making her will and asserting that the value of the estate will not exceed $648,000, a complaint in intervention was filed in the Superior Court yesterday in behalf of Frank O. F. Offutt, Edward Lee Offutt and Sarah Marie Offutt, minors. The value of the estate was originally given as $1,600,000.

The contest involving the will was instituted by Anna May Peaslee Farnsley and Suzanne Peaslee Harbeson, nieces, and George T. Harbeson, a nephew, who alleged that Mrs. Tomb was unduly influenced by her brothers, William G., and Frank O'Farrell Harbeson. Other sensational allegations were made.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY.
TO ALLEGED FRAUD.

Max Baranov, the San Diego diamond trader, entered a plea of not guilty in Superior Judge Craig's court yesterday, when arraigned on a charge of complicity with Enrico Aresoni in the alleged defrauding of Mrs. Jessie Ullray in a $20,000 diamond transaction. His trial was set for June 24, after he had reserved permission to change his plea. Baranov and Aresoni are at liberty under bail in the sums of $2500 each.

JURY COMPLETE.
IN BARRETT CASE.

The jury in the case of Benton L. Barrett, charged with having murdered his wife and step-son in Santa Monica several months ago, was selected in Superior Judge Willis court yesterday. The thirteenth juror is John Woodworth, a rancher, and bears a striking resemblance to the defendant. He wears his beard trimmed in the same manner, and has much the same profile. The examination of witnesses will begin today.

COURTHOUSE BITS.
MISCELLANEOUS DOINGS.

MOVES FOR DISMISSAL. After the suit of Winfield Hogaboom against Edward L. Grafton to recover $462, alleged to be due him for rewriting the "Story of the Argonaut" for a film play, had been called by Judge Myers yesterday, Mr. Hogaboom asked for a dismissal. The motion was based on technical grounds. A new suit will be filed, it is believed.

SENT TO PRISON. W. E. Merritt, convicted in Superior Judge Craig's court of having failed to provide for his wife and children, was sentenced yesterday to serve eighteen months in prison. The charge was made, at the time sentence was imposed, that Merritt had a prison record.

FIVE YEARS PROBATION. John Hays, last of the Watts men charged with arson, was given five years probation in Superior Judge Craig's court yesterday. The prosecution charged Hays with the actual performance of setting a lighted match to inflammable material in the company's lumber yard.

INCORPORATIONS. The Castor Motor Oil and Supply Company, incorporators the S. G. Sherman, Byron S. Swearingen and Paul Compton, capital stock $10,000, subscribed, $10,000; the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church of Inglewood, incorporators E. O. Clark, George T. Lashbrook, James Dougherty, W. C. Mosley and E. Goodson; the United Motors Corporation, incorporators F. Russell Warner, T. A. Russell, A. M. Kupfer, H. M. Loud and H. F. Maguire, capital stock $1,000,000, subscribed, $500.

At the City Hall.

NO MORE PADDING OF MILEAGE BILLS.

EMPLOYEES MAY BE PLACED UNDER WATCH.

Councilman Declares He has Information of One Case Where Enough was Made on Extra Charges to Purchase a New Machine—May Appoint Inspector.

Padding mileage bills by city employees must cease. Councilman Wheeler yesterday brought up the matter and declared that he had received information that the employee had made enough in this manner to purchase a new machine. The Finance Committee was instructed to hold up all departmental requests for machines. It was also suggested that an inspector of city automobiles be appointed, particularly to keep a check on mileage in order to prevent further excessive charges.

Selection.

STRONG ASPIRANTS FOR SCHOOL BOARD.

LEADING CITIZENS RECOMMEND SEVEN CANDIDATES.

Those Chosen by Two Hundred Representative Angelenos Include D. K. Edwards, Who has had Wide Experience in Business and in Public Service.

Of the twenty or more candidates for the Board of Education, a ticket of seven has been highly recommended by a committee comprising more than 200 representative citizens. The personnel of this committee is sufficient guarantee of the dependability of the ticket, which has the indorsement of this newspaper.

Among the candidates indorsed by the committee is D. K. Edwards, who has resided in California forty years, and thirty years in Los Angeles. He has had wide experience as a business man and in the public service. In Monterey county he was for six years a teacher in the public schools, serving also on the County Board of Education. Coming to Los Angeles, he became a member of the firm of Newmark & Edwards, grain dealers, remaining in that business for about fifteen years.

Mr. Edwards's qualifications for important public service are indicated by the fact that he was recommended by various civic bodies of Los Angeles for membership on the first Board of Public Works, a body which had to do with the construction of the Owens River aqueduct and other notable constructive municipal enterprises.

He also served for more than three years as chairman of the Los Angeles County Highway Commission, having in charge the good roads system which has given the county such enviable prestige.

Both these offices were appointive and were unsought by Mr. Edwards.

Mr. Edwards has served as director of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, director of the Young Men's Christian Association and various other civic and religious bodies, and as director of the Merchants' National Bank and of the Fidelity Savings and Loan Association.

AT WHITTIER COLLEGE.

The Associated Alumni of Friends' Colleges will be the guests of Whittier College at a banquet to be given at this institution on the evening of the 27th inst. at 6:30 o'clock. J. Edward Coggeshall is the president and Esther C. Andrews the secretary of the Associated Alumni of Friends' Colleges.

LONDON TO CELEBRATE OUR ENTRY INTO WAR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, April 16, 11:10 p.m.—More than 10,000 applications have been made for admission to St. Paul's Cathedral April 20 on the occasion of the service to be held in commemoration of the entrance of the United States into the war. The cathedral accommodates only 3500 persons.

The Duke of Connaught, former Governor-General of Canada; Princess Mary, daughter of King George, and others of the royal family, and Premier Lloyd George will attend the functions. Twenty-six metropolitan Mayors in their official robes also will be present.

QUEENSTOWN CONSUL GIVEN PROMOTION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Consul Wesley Frost at Queenstown, whose name has figured in more than 100 reports of submarine outrages, today was advanced a grade in the consular service as a reward for his work. Frost's first big case was the Lusitania.

FIVE CENTS A BARREL ADDED TO OIL COST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FINDLAY (O.) April 16.—Five cents a barrel was added to the price of oil by the Ohio Oil Company at its general offices here today. The new increases are for North and South Lima and Princeton.

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WICKER CHAIR FOR A CLOAK.

Japanese Arrested on Charge He Smuggled Himself into this Port.

M. Yokayama, said to be illegally in the United States, gained entrance to this country in a novel way. He was arrested yesterday morning at the harbor, on board the steamship Ituna, and brought to Los Angeles by Capt. Johnson, the vessel's master.

Yokayama placed himself, it is said, in a large wicker chair at Santa Rosalia, Mex., and pulled the chair coverings close over it. Mexican stevedores are alleged to have carried him aboard in the chair.

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Emergency.

10 EUROPE IF NEEDED.

Baker Tells of the Army Plan.

Wilson Exerts All His Power on Congress to Hasten the Draft Bill.

Indications are that the Measure will Soon be Made into Law.

JOHN CALLAN O'LAUGHLIN.
[SPECIAL WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 17.—President Wilson used the force of his great office today to induce the House of Representatives to substantially unamended the administration's military conscription

sent for Chairman Dent of the Military Affairs Committee urged him to favor the measure to communicate to his Democratic colleagues the view that the needs of the nation demanded its immediate report. He sent also for Congressman Mann, Minority Leader in the House. He asked Mr. Mann to use all in his power to line up Republican members on the committee and in the House in support of the proposal.

Secretary of War Baker appeared

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THE WORLD'S NEWS

IN TODAY'S

Covering the Globe.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday

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SUMMARY.

SKY. Partly cloudy. Wind at southwesterly; velocity, 11 Thermometer, highest, 57 lowest, 44 deg. Forecast: Fair Sunday. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

CITY. A Mexican commission to study governmental affairs declared Carranza is friendly, not entangled with Germany. Charles C. Tracy, noted Congregationalist missionary and educator, critically ill in a hospital here. Mrs. Tracy's wife shot her husband dead, then lost her nerve and said he should live. Undersheriff ordered that all Japanese and Austrian fishermen in the harbor be disarmed. The State Council of Defense held a meeting here to consider ways of augmenting food production. Pledges totaling $100,000 were made available for various religious institutions, when twenty-three creeds entered a compromise.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Famous Death Valley explorer was suddenly stricken with heart failure at Pasadena. Arrest of William Clayton at San Diego on a demurred plea of insanity. Telegrams were received by a Pomona man from a spherical airship which is said to have points of superiority over a dirigible.

TO READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion. The more important news is to be found in the greater part of the paper. Consult the Index and the Summary. Read the paper—and thus get all the news of the day.

PACIFIC SLOPE
...mittee favored ... bond bill.
Edward Kra... Alaska, shot ... gets $1000 for ...
Officers' train... the Presidio soo...

GENERAL E...
...ment has been ... in New York at ... war.
A tornado ... buildings at Tan...
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MEXICO. Uprisi... when Carranza is ... dent of Mexico.
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